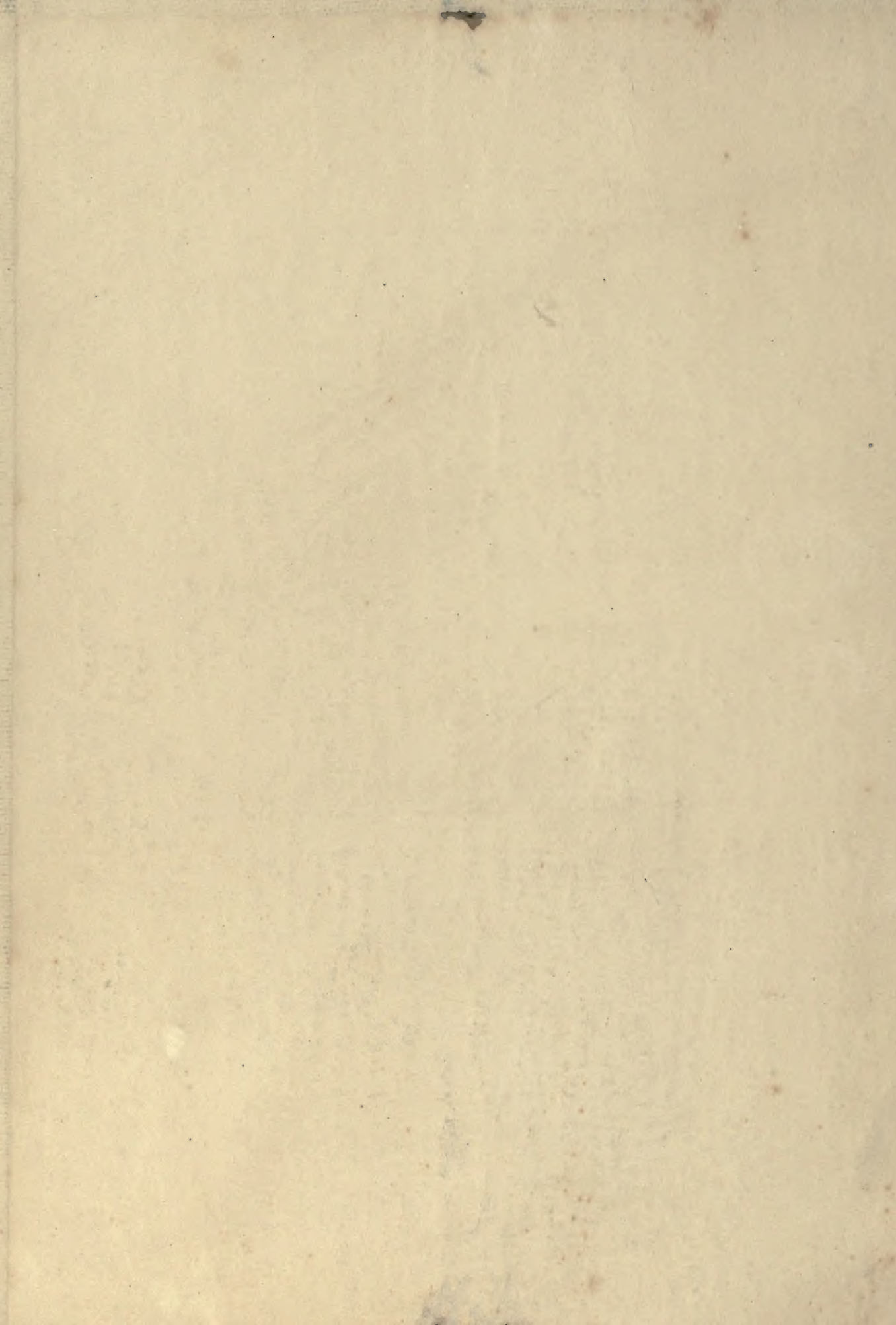


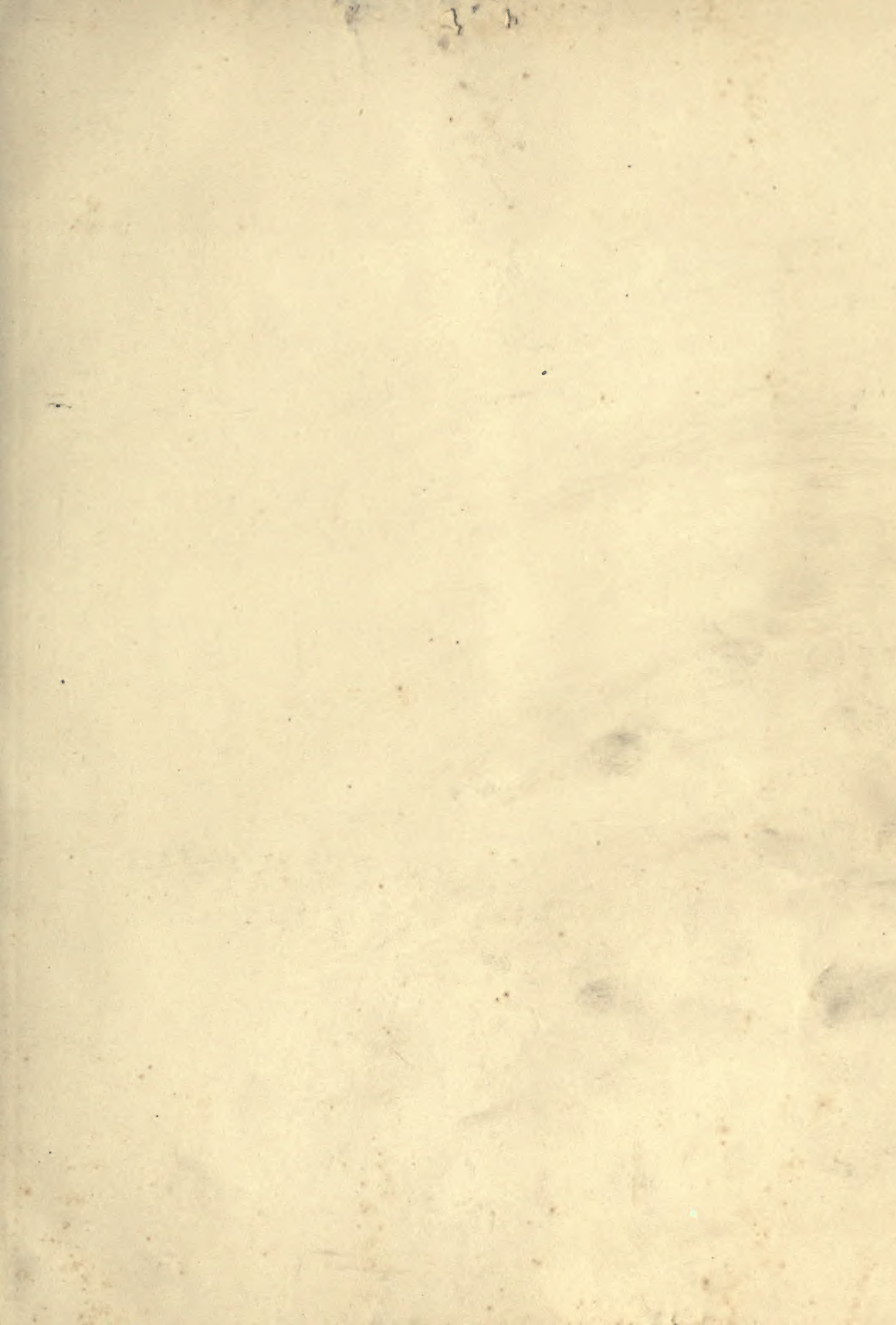
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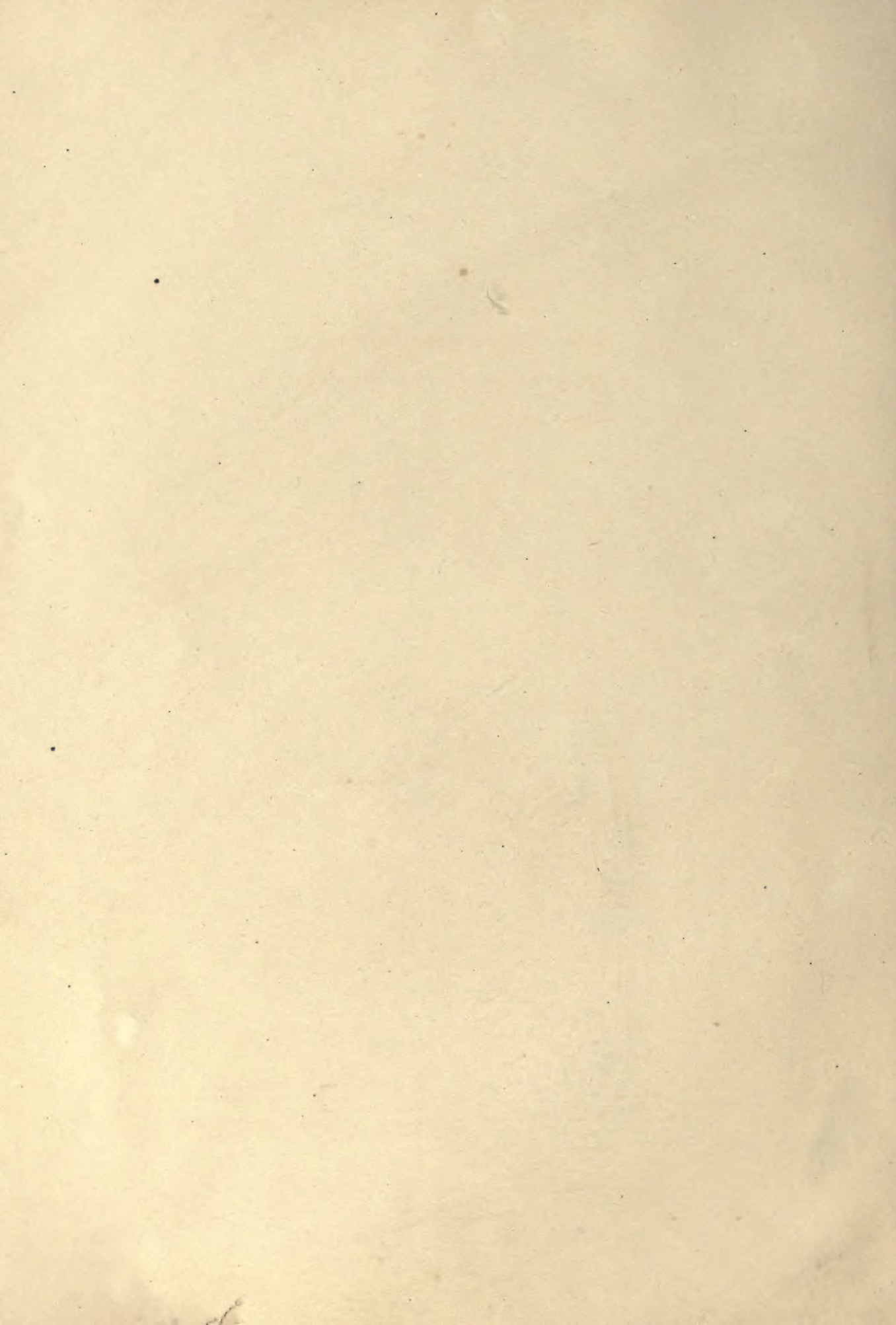
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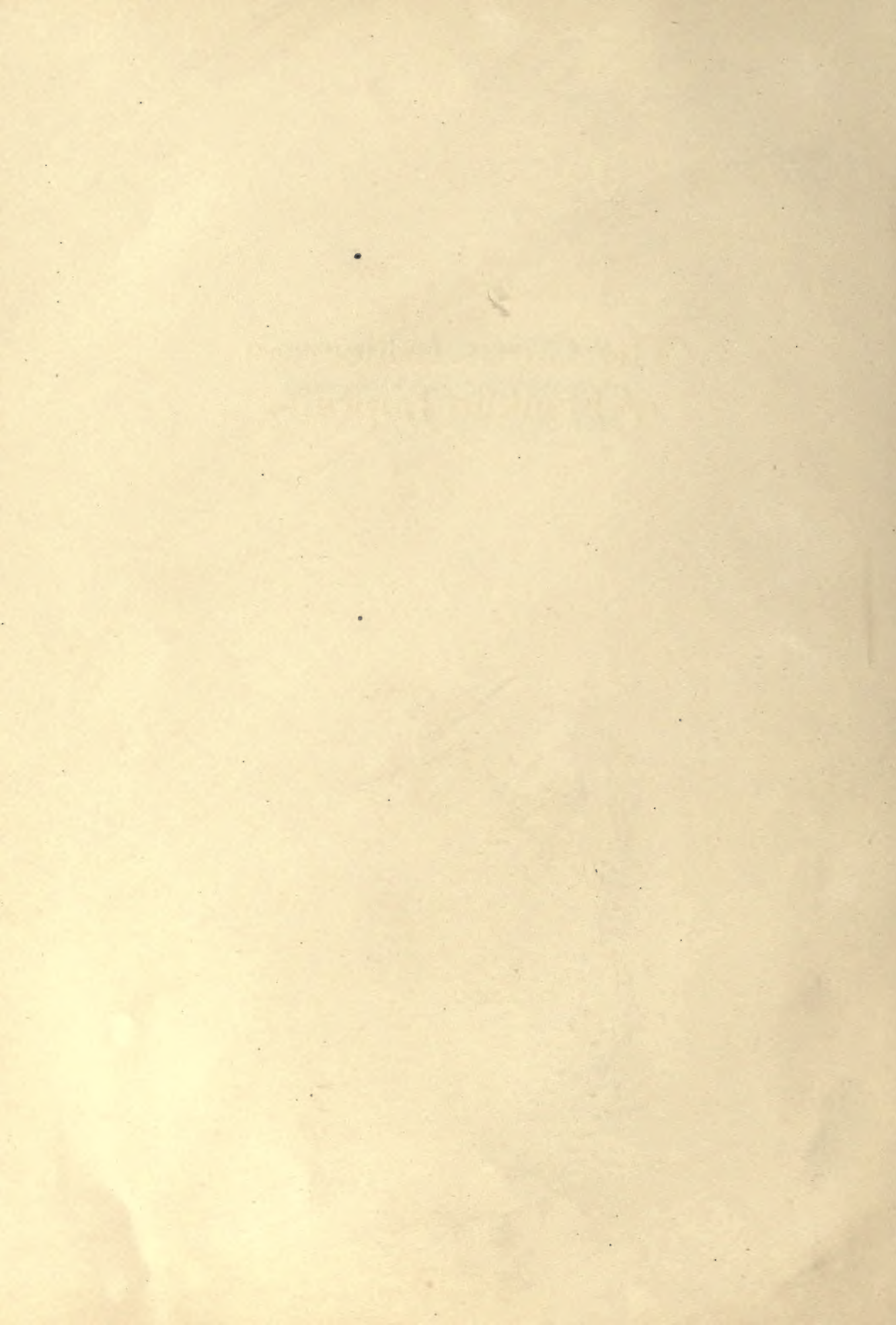






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IN THE year 1896 the late Henry V. Massey began to collect Franklin Imprints. He was a man of wide knowledge and of rare good judgment, and was untiring in his search for material bearing the imprint of Franklin, or on which he was known to have been employed. During the eight years of his active collecting he succeeded in bringing together 174 separate items, exclusive of a long run of the *Pennsylvania Gazette*. It was one of the largest collections that had ever been formed, and was remarkable for the very high average condition of the books, as well as for the large number of titles; yet so quietly had they been gathered that the collection was unknown except to a few of his intimate friends.

In 1908 the collection was purchased in its entirety by Mr. John Gribbel, through whose well-directed efforts the number of titles has been not only almost doubled, in itself a remarkable achievement, but the collection enriched by the addition of many items of the greatest rarity.

In 1915, feeling that the most appropriate owner for the collection was the company publishing *The Saturday Evening Post*, the journal direct in descent from Franklin's *Pennsylvania Gazette*, Mr. Gribbel transferred it to The Curtis Publishing Company.

Of particular interest, as illustrating the history of Franklin's press, is the fact that the collection contains the first publication on which Franklin's name appeared as publisher; the first book on which he is known to have worked while in London; the first book on which he worked when he and Meredith set up in business for themselves; the first book to bear his imprint alone after Meredith left him; the last book to bear his name issued from his Philadelphia press; and specimens from the press that he set up at Passy, for his own amusement, while he was Ambassador to France.

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Of special interest also is the remarkable collection of Poor Richard Almanacs, probably the finest in existence, which lacks only four of the thirty-four issues that Franklin printed.

Of the fourteen Indian Treaties that he printed, twelve are in the collection, including the first and rarest of them all, and four of them have copious manuscript annotations in Franklin's autograph. These four he annotated for and presented to Lord Shelburne, who later became Prime Minister of Great Britain. Among the other books that are of interest on account of their rarity, some being unique, are "Mystische Und sehr geheyme Sprueche" 1730; Evans's "Minister of Christ" 1732; blank form for a deed 1733 (or earlier); Brady and Tate's Psalms 1733; Cato's "Moral Distichs" 1735; Fox's "Instructions For Right Spelling" 1737; Rowe's "History Of Joseph" 1739; "My Dear Fellow-Traveller" 1740; "The Querists, Part III" 1741; "Catalogue of Books" 1744; both the first and second impressions of "Cato Major" 1744; and More's American Country Almanack for 1752, 1754 and 1757.

In preparing the catalogue of the collection I have thought that it would add greatly to its interest, and aid materially in understanding it, to prefix a brief account of Franklin's activities as a printer, and to add a list of all the books that he is known to have printed.

The sketch of Franklin is necessarily short, and no attempt has been made to write a biography. Much of the information has been taken from Franklin's Autobiography, and wherever possible I have let him tell the story in his own words.

The catalogue and check list are arranged chronologically, with the books in alphabetical order under each year; the only exceptions to this rule being the file of the Pennsylvania Gazette, and the paper currency, each of which I think can best be treated as a single item.

In compiling the check list no effort has been spared to include every book, pamphlet and broadside that Franklin is known to have printed. The basis of the list is, of course, the excellent bibliography of the "Issues of the Press of Pennsylvania" by Charles R. Hildeburn,

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with additions from Evans, Ford and Livingston, chiefly for the periods not covered by Hildeburn. To these I have added a number of titles that do not come within the scope of these works, as well as a number that have heretofore been unknown to bibliographers.

I have included in the list all of the books printed by James Franklin and by Samuel Keimer during the periods that Franklin was with them, although it is impossible to tell on which of them he worked, except in the very few instances where he himself mentions the fact.

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BENJAMIN FRANKLIN was born in Boston on January 17, 1706. In 1718, at the age of twelve, to prevent his going to sea, he was apprenticed to his brother James, who had set up in business as a printer the year before. He was to serve as an apprentice until twenty-one years of age, although he was to be allowed a journeyman's wages during the last year. "In a little time I made great proficiency in the business, and became a useful hand to my brother", he tells us in his Autobiography.

"I now took a fancy to poetry", he continues, "and made some little pieces; my brother, thinking it might turn to account, encouraged me and put me to composing occasional ballads. One was called The Lighthouse Tragedy, and contained an account of the drowning of Captain Worthilake, with his two daughters: the other was A Sailor's Song on the Taking of Teach (or Black-beard) the Pirate. They were wretched stuff, in the Grub-street-ballad style; and when they were printed he sent me about the town to sell them. The first sold wonderfully, the event being recent, having made a great noise." Of these two pieces, the first with which Franklin's name can be associated as either author or printer,

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no copy is known to exist, nor is the exact title of either of them known. They were probably broadsides.

In 1719 his brother started to print the Boston Gazette; after he had printed it for seven months the paper underwent a change of management, and the new manager, Philip Musgrave, employed another printer. James Franklin then started a paper of his own, The New England Courant, of which he issued the first number on August 7, 1721. To this paper Franklin contributed "The Dogood Papers", a series of essays, commencing in No. 35, for April 2, 1722. These are the earliest writings of Franklin's that are now extant.

In the issue of The New England Courant for June 11, 1722, James Franklin gave offence to the Massachusetts Government and was sentenced to jail, where he remained a month. Upon his release the policy of the paper became even more offensive to the Government, and James Franklin was therefore forbidden by the Council "to print or publish The New England Courant, or any other pamphlet or paper of the like nature, except it be first supervised by the Secretary of the Province." To escape the provisions of this injunction it was decided to let it be printed in the future under the name of Benjamin Franklin. To avoid the censure of the Assembly, that might fall on him as still printing it by his apprentice, the old indenture was returned with a full

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discharge on the back of it, to be shown on occasion, and new indentures were signed for the remainder of the term and kept private. An advertisement was inserted in the issue for February 11, 1723, stating that "the late Publisher of the paper, finding so many inconveniences would arise by his carrying the MSS. & Public News to be supervised by the Secretary, as to render his carrying it on unprofitable, has entirely dropt the undertaking." This issue, which also contained a preface signed by Benjamin Franklin as the new publisher, was headed: The New England Courant. No. 80. From Monday February 4 to Monday February 11, 1723, and with the colophon, Boston: Printed and sold by Benjamin Franklin in Queen Street, where Advertisements are taken in.

This is the first appearance of Benjamin Franklin's name as printer on any publication. The paper continued to bear his name until June 4, 1726, although he left Boston in October, 1723, frequent quarrels with his brother having led him to break his contract of indenture and to flee to New York.

Arriving in New York he offered his services to William Bradford, at that time the only printer in the city, but he could give him no employment, having little work on hand, and plenty of help. He suggested that Franklin go on to Philadelphia, where his son, Andrew

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Bradford, conducted a printing shop, and who, having just lost his principal hand, Aquila Rose, might have an opening for him.

Franklin acted upon this advice, and arrived in Philadelphia on a Sunday morning in October, 1723. The following morning he called on Andrew Bradford, only to find that the vacancy had been filled. Bradford informed him that another printer had lately set up in town, "one Keimer", who perhaps might employ him. Accordingly Franklin went to Samuel Keimer. Describing his visit, he says, "Keimer's printing house, I found, consisted of an old shatter'd press, and one small, worn out font of English, which he was then using himself, composing an Elegy on Aquila Rose. . . . Keimer made verses . . . but very indifferently. He could not be said to write them, for his manner was to compose them in types directly out of his head. So there being no copy, but one pair of cases, and the Elegy likely to require all the letter, no one could help him. I endeavour'd to put his press (which he had not yet us'd, and of which he understood nothing) into order fit to be work'd with; and, promising to come and print off his Elegy as soon as he should have got it ready, I return'd to Bradford's, who gave me a little job to do for the present, and there I lodged and dieted. A few days after, Keimer sent for me to print off the Elegy.

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And now he had got another pair of cases, and a pamphlet to reprint, on which he set me to work. . . . Keimer, tho' something of a scholar, was a mere compositor, knowing nothing of presswork."

What the "little job" was that he worked on for Bradford, is not known. The first book that can be identified with Franklin in Philadelphia is Keimer's *Elegy on Aquila Rose*.

While working for Keimer he came to the notice of Governor Keith through his brother-in-law, Captain Holmes, and Keith, liking what he heard of him, and being somewhat dissatisfied with the other printers in Philadelphia, conceived the idea of inducing Franklin to set up in business for himself. Keith accordingly called on Franklin in company with Colonel French "of Newcastle", told him what he had in mind, and both gentlemen assured him that he would have their influence in procuring the public business of the Governments of both Pennsylvania and Newcastle. Upon his expressing a doubt that his father would assist him, Keith promised him a letter that would overcome any objections his father might have.

"And so", Franklin tells us, "it was concluded I should return to Boston in the first vessel, with the Governor's letter recommending me to my father. In the meantime the intention was to be kept secret, and I

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went on working for Keimer as usual. . . . About the end of April, 1724, a little vessel offer'd for Boston. I took leave of Keimer as going to see my friends."

Keith's letter not having the desired effect on Franklin's father, Franklin returned to Philadelphia. When he heard the result of the trip, Keith exclaimed, "And since he will not set you up I will do it myself. Give me an inventory of the things necessary to be had from England, and I will send for them. You shall repay me when you are able." Franklin continues, "I presented him an inventory of a little print'g-house, amounting by my computation to about one hundred pounds sterling. He lik'd it, but ask'd me if my being on the spot in England to chuse the types, and see that everything was good of the kind, might not be of advantage. . . . I agreed that this might be advantageous. 'Then,' says he, 'get yourself ready to go with Annis;' which was the annual ship, and the only one at that time usually passing between London and Philadelphia. But it would be some months before Annis Sail'd, so I continu'd working with Keimer."

Keith had promised Franklin letters to a number of friends in London, as well as a letter of credit to furnish him with the necessary money for purchasing the press, types, paper, etc., but every time that Franklin called for them he put him off, and "thus he went on till the

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ship, whose departure too had been several times postponed, was on the point of sailing. Then, when I call'd to take my leave and receive the letters, his secretary, Dr. Bard, came out to me, and said the governor was extremely busy in writing, but would be down at Newcastle before the ship, and there the letters would be delivered to me. . . . Having taken leave of my friends, I left Philadelphia in the ship, which anchor'd at Newcastle. The governor was there; but when I went to his lodging, the secretary came to me from him with the civillest message in the world, that he could not then see me, being engaged in business of the utmost importance, but should send the letters to me on board, wished me heartily a good voyage and a speedy return, etc. I returned on board a little puzzled, but still not doubting."

Keith did not send the letters, and Franklin arrived in London without them, and with very little money, on the 24th of December, 1724. On the advice of a friend, Mr. Denham, he sought employment among the printers of London, that he might improve himself, and set up to greater advantage when he returned to America.

He immediately got work at Palmer's, then a famous printing house in Bartholomew Close. While there he was employed in composing for the third edition of Wollaston's "Religion of Nature", and as some of the

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reasonings did not seem sound to him, he wrote "a little metaphysical piece" in reply to it. This was his "Dissertation on Liberty and Necessity, Pleasure and Pain", of which he printed 100 copies. But afterwards, being dissatisfied with it, and fearing that it might have a bad influence, he burnt the edition, with the exception of one copy which he kept, and a few that had been given to friends. Only four copies are known to exist today. At the sale of the library of the late Alfred H. Huth in London in 1913 one of them sold for £1005.

These are the only books with which Franklin's name can be accurately identified during the period of his stay in London. He remained at Palmer's about a year, and then, beginning "to think of getting a little money beforehand", he says, "I left Palmer's to work at Watts's, near Lincoln's Inn Fields, a still greater printing-house. Here I continued all the rest of my stay in London. . . On my first admission into this printing-house I took to working at press, imagining I felt the want of the bodily exercise I had been us'd to in America, where presswork is mix'd with composing. . . Watts, after some weeks, desiring to have me in the composing room, I left the pressmen. . . My constant attendance recommended me to the master; and my uncommon quickness at composing occasioned my being put upon all work of dispatch, which was

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generally better paid. . . Thus I spent about eighteen months in London; most part of the time I work'd hard at my business."

In 1726 Franklin's friend, Mr. Denham, informed him that he was about to return to Philadelphia, where he would open a store, and suggested that Franklin should accompany him as his clerk, to keep his books, copy letters, attend the store, etc. "The thing pleas'd me," says Franklin, "for I was grown tired of London, remembered with pleasure the happy months I had spent in Pennsylvania, and wish'd again to see it; therefore I immediately agreed on the terms of fifty pounds a year, Pennsylvania money; less, indeed, than my present gettings as a compositor, but affording a better prospect."

They sailed from Gravesend on July 23, 1726, and arrived in Philadelphia on the 11th of October. Mr. Denham took a store in Water Street, and Franklin "attended the business dilligently, studied accounts, and grew, in a little time, expert at selling." In the beginning of February, 1726-7, when Franklin had just reached his twenty-first year, they were both taken sick, and Mr. Denham died. As the business was "taken into the care of his executors", Franklin was left without employment. "My brother-in-law", he continues, "advised me to return to my business; and Keimer

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tempted me, with an offer of large wages by the year, to come and take the management of his printing house, that he might better attend his stationer's shop. I tri'd for farther employment as a merchant's clerk; but, not readily meeting with any, I clos'd again with Keimer. . Keimer had got a better house, a shop well supply'd with stationery, plenty of new types, a number of hands, tho' none good, and seem'd to have a great deal of business."

With Keimer at the time were Hugh Meredith, Stephen Potts, John ———, "a wild Irishman", George Webb and David Harry. They often wanted sorts, and at that time there was no type founder in America. Franklin was equal to the occasion, for he informs us "I had seen types cast at James's in London, but without much attention to the manner; however, I now contrived a mould, made use of the letters we had as puncheons, struck the matrices in lead, and thus supply'd in a pretty tolerable way all deficiencies. I also engrav'd several things on occasion; I made the ink; I was ware-houseman, and everything, and, in short, quite a fac-totem." After a quarrel with Keimer, Franklin left him. He proposed to return to Boston, but was dissuaded from doing so by Meredith. "He let me know", says Franklin, "that his father had a high opinion of me, and, from some discourse that had pass'd between them, he was sure would advance money to

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set us up, if I would enter into partnership with him. 'My time', says he, 'will be out with Keimer in the spring; by that time we may have our press and types in from London. I am sensible I am no workman; if you like it, your skill in the business shall be set against the stock I furnish, and we will share the profits equally.' The proposal was agreeable, and I consented; his father was in town and approv'd of it. I gave an inventory to his father, who carry'd it to a merchant; the things were sent for, the secret was to be kept till they should arrive, and in the mean time I was to get work, if I could, at the other printing-house. But I found no vacancy there, and so remain'd idle a few days, when Keimer, on a prospect of being employ'd to print some paper money in New Jersey, which would require cuts and various types that I only could supply, and apprehending Bradford might engage me and get the jobb from him, sent me a very civil message . . . wishing me to return. Meredith persuaded me to comply . . . so I return'd. The New Jersey jobb was obtain'd, I contriv'd a copperplate press for it, the first that had been seen in the country; I cut several ornaments and checks for the bills. We went together to Burlington, where I executed the whole to satisfaction. . . . We continu'd there near three months." There is not a single piece of this issue of

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paper money known to exist today, and of the New Jersey Laws that they printed at the same time there are only two known copies.

Shortly after they returned from Burlington—in the Spring of 1728—the new types arrived from London, and Franklin and Meredith settled with Keimer and left him, “by his consent before he heard of it.” They took a house near the Market, and here they opened “The New Printing Office”, Franklin being then twenty-two years of age. “We had scarce opened our letters and put our press in order”, he continues, “before George House, an acquaintance of mine, brought a countryman to us, whom he had met in the street inquiring for a printer. This countryman’s five shillings, being our first-fruits, and coming so seasonably, gave me more pleasure than any crown I have since earned.”

This first job in his own shop, like the first job on which he worked when he arrived in Philadelphia in 1723, is unknown to bibliographers. It was probably stationery, or a small handbill.

The first book on which Franklin worked in his new shop, and the only one recorded for his first year, was Sewell’s *History of the Quakers*, of which he printed forty sheets for Samuel Keimer, who had the contract for the work. Referring to it Franklin says, “upon this

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we work'd exceedingly hard, for the price was low. I compos'd of it a sheet a day, and Meredith worked it off at press; it was often eleven at night, and sometimes later, before I had finished my distribution for the next day's work, for the little jobbs sent in by our other friends now and then put us back. But so determin'd I was to continue doing a sheet a day of the folio, that one night, when, having impos'd my forms, I thought my day's work over, one of them by accident was broken, and two pages reduced to pi, I immediately distributed and compos'd it over again before I went to bed; and this industry, visible to our neighbors, began to give us character and credit."

"George Webb, who had found a female friend that lent him wherewith to purchase his time of Keimer, now came to offer himself as a journeyman to us. We could not then imploy him; but I foolishly let him know as a secret that I soon intended to begin a newspaper, and might then have work for him. I requested Webb not to mention it; but he told it to Keimer, who immediately, to be beforehand with me, published proposals for printing one himself, on which Webb was to be employ'd."

Keimer issued the first number of his paper on December 24, 1728, under the title of "The Universal Instructor in all Arts and Sciences: and Pennsylvania

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Gazette". The subscription price was 10 shillings a year. It was not a success, due largely to Franklin's ridicule of it in Bradford's paper, he tells us, and did not have over ninety subscribers, and Keimer finally offered it to Franklin "for a trifle." "Having been ready some time to go on with it", Franklin accepted the offer, and, shortening the title to *The Pennsylvania Gazette*, published No. 40, the first under his management, on October 2, 1729. "It prov'd in a few years extremely profitable. Our first papers made a quite different appearance from any before in the province; a better type, and better printed; but some spirited remarks of my writing, on the dispute then going on between Governor Burnet and the Massachusetts Assembly, struck the principal people, occasioned the paper and the manager of it to be much talk'd of, and in a few weeks brought them all to be our subscribers. Their example was follow'd by many, and our number went on growing continually."

"Bradford still printed the votes, and laws, and other publick business. He had printed an address of the House to the governor, in a coarse, blundering manner; we reprinted it elegantly and correctly, and sent one to every member. They were sensible of the difference: it strengthened the hands of our friends in the House, and they voted us their printers for the year ensuing."

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Franklin remained the official public printer as long as he was in business, and the Acts and Votes of Assembly bore his name alone after Meredith left him, even during the many years of his partnership with David Hall.

In 1730 Franklin was confronted with an unexpected difficulty. Meredith's father, who was to have paid for the printing house, and who had already advanced one hundred pounds, was unable to make the second payment of a like amount that was still due, and the merchant who had supplied the equipment brought suit. At this point two friends of Franklin's, William Coleman and Robert Grace, went to him "separately, unknown to each other," and offered to lend him the full amount necessary to take the whole business over for himself. He was loath to accept their offers while there was any chance that Meredith's father would be able to fulfill his agreement, but on discovering that Meredith was anxious to give up the business, for which he felt that he was unfitted, and to join with some other Welsh people who were going to settle on farms in North Carolina, Franklin quickly agreed to the terms which Meredith proposed. They were that Franklin should return the one hundred pounds that his father had advanced, assume the debts of the company, pay Meredith's little personal debts, and give

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him thirty pounds and a new saddle. The agreement was drawn up in writing, signed and sealed immediately. Franklin went to his two friends, borrowed half the amount he needed from each of them, paid off the company's debts, and went on with the business in his own name, advertising that the partnership was dissolved. "I think this was in or about the year 1729", he says. Smyth gives the date as July 14, 1730, and it was in this year that he issued the first book to bear his name alone, Beissel's "Mystische und sehr geheyme Sprueche", but Meredith's name did not disappear from the Pennsylvania Gazette until April or May of 1732, nor from the Acts and Votes of Assembly.

The business continued to prosper, and Franklin soon added a stationer's shop, took on another compositor, "one Whitemash", who had worked with him in London, and an apprentice, the son of Aquila Rose.

"I began now", Franklin continues, "gradually to pay off the debt I was under for the printing-house. In order to secure my credit and character as a tradesman, I took care not only to be in *reality* industrious and frugal, but to avoid all appearances to the contrary. I drest plainly; I was seen at no places of idle diversion . . . and, to show that I was not above my business, I sometimes brought home the paper I purchas'd at the stores thro' the streets on a wheelbarrow."

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On September 1st, 1730, according to the *Autobiography*, he married Deborah Reed, who proved to be as much disposed to "industry and frugality" as was he himself. She assisted him cheerfully in his business, "folding and stitching pamphlets, tending shop, purchasing old linen rags for the paper-makers, etc.", and by her careful management of his household she also contributed largely to his success.

In 1732, through a domestic quarrel with the Godfreys, Franklin lost to Andrew Bradford the almanac that he had printed for the years 1730, '31 and '32. As it had been a source of considerable income to him, he immediately set about writing an almanac for 1733 to take its place. For this he appropriated the name of Richard Saunders, a noted English astrologist, who died about 1687, and whose almanac, started in 1661, was still published and popular in England. The title, "Poor Richard", was derived from "Poor Robin", another popular English almanac, which had been published continuously since its establishment about 1664 by William Winstanley. The immediate source of inspiration was probably James Franklin's Rhode Island Almanac, started in 1728, under the title "Poor Robin". The new almanac was an immediate success, and the sales soon reached ten thousand copies annually.

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From the first, Franklin took an interest and an active part in all matters of a public nature, and in addition to devoting considerable space to them in the *Pennsylvania Gazette*, he wrote and printed a number of pamphlets to influence public opinion. The first of these was, "A Modest Inquiry into the Nature and Necessity of a Paper Currency", which he printed in 1729, and which succeeded so well in its purpose that it forced the passage of the currency bill by the legislature. As a reward he was given the money to print—"a very profitable jobb"—and one that he continued to hold as long as he remained in business. He "soon after obtain'd" the printing of the Newcastle paper money. This was probably the issue of 1735, for, while the first issue usually credited to Franklin is that of 1746, it is hardly likely that he would have spoken in that manner of an issue that he printed seventeen years later.

"A Proposal for Promoting Useful Knowledge", which he wrote and printed in 1743, resulted in the foundation of the American Philosophical Society. "An Account of the New Invented Pennsylvania Fire-Places", 1744, described a fireplace of Franklin's own invention, an improvement on the type then common, which became very popular—and some of which may still be found in use. "Plain Truth", issued in 1747,

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was written for the purpose of arousing interest in the formation of a voluntary military association for defense, the Militia law having failed to pass the Legislature. "Proposals Relating to the Education of Youth in Pennsylvania", 1749, and the "Idea of the English School", 1751, were both written in the interest of the Philadelphia Academy, the former to assist in its foundation, and the latter outlining his idea of the course of study. Today the University of Pennsylvania gives evidence of the success of the effort. "Some Account of the Pennsylvania Hospital", in 1754, drew the attention of the public to that institution and the work that it was doing. In 1755 he wrote and printed a paper setting forth the advantages that might be obtained through hiring a man to sweep the street twice a week and to carry off the dirt, a practice that evidently was not in vogue at the time. Unfortunately no copy of this paper is known to exist today.

In 1737 he printed Wellfare's "Die Weissheit Gottes", with the imprint, "Zu Philadelphia gedruckt und zu verkauffen bey Benjamin Franklin und Johannes Wüster in der Marckt-Strass". This is apparently the only book that he printed with Wüster's name on it, and if it ever was a real partnership it was of very short duration. Later on he entered into partnerships with other German printers, for the printing of books

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in German only. His name appears with that of Gott-hard Armbruester from 1747 to 1748, but it is not likely that the partnership extended beyond such books as Franklin sent to Armbruester to print. Towards the latter part of 1748, or early in 1749, Franklin purchased the outfit of a German printing establishment, probably Armbruester's, for after this date his name is seen no more. He placed in charge of it Johannes Böhm, and most of the issues of this press, until the death of Böhm in July of 1751, bear the imprint of "Fräncklin and Böhm". After Böhm's death the imprint was changed to "Benjamin Fräncklin", and the office remained on Arch Street.

In 1754 the trustees of the "Society for Propagating Christian Knowledge among the Germans of Pennsylvania", of whom Franklin was one, resolved to set up a German press to print a paper and almanacs, and other popular publications. Franklin offered to sell them his German printing establishment for £25 less than its value, and the offer was accepted. Anthony Armbruester was put in charge of the plant, and the publications all bear the imprint, "B. Fräncklin und A. Armbruester". In 1755 they started the "Philadelphische Zeitung", which was published biweekly until December 31, 1757, which issue contained an article offensive to the Quaker majority in the Assembly.

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For this offense Rev. William Smith, the chairman of the trustees, was put in jail, although no action was taken against the *Pennsylvania Gazette*, in which the article had first appeared. Franklin, who was in London at the time, wrote to his wife, under date of June 10, 1758, "I wrote you lately to speak to Armbruster not to make use of my Name any more in his News Paper, as I have no particular Concern in it, but as one of the Trustees only." The offending number appears to have been the last issue of the paper, and the press ceased to exist in 1758.

In the years 1740 to 1742 Franklin's press reached the high-water mark of its activity from the standpoint of the number of titles issued annually. It was the period immediately following the arrival of the Rev. George Whitefield from Ireland, an itinerant preacher of great influence. Franklin says of him, "The multitudes of all sects and denominations that attended his sermons were enormous, and it was a matter of speculation to me, who was one of the number, to observe the extraordinary influence of his oratory on his hearers, and how much they admir'd and respected him, notwithstanding his common abuse of them. It was wonderful to see the change made in the manners of our inhabitants. From being thoughtless or indifferent about religion, it seem'd as if all the world were

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growing religious, so that one could not walk thro' the town in an evening without hearing psalms sung in different families of every street." This spirit manifested itself in a flood of religious writings, of which Franklin printed a large number in addition to editions of Whitefield's Sermons, his Journal, and letters to and from him.

On the first of January, 1748, Franklin entered into partnership with David Hall, and gave up active participation in the business. From that date, until the partnership was dissolved in 1766, everything issued from the press bore the imprint of Franklin and Hall, except the output of the German printing offices, and the Acts, and Votes of Assembly, which continued to the end with Franklin's name alone.

After serving in various public capacities in America, Franklin was sent to England, as Agent for the Province, "to solicit and transact the Affairs thereof in Great Britain", and arrived in London on July 26, 1757. The immediate effect of his leaving America was a reduction in the output of the press to about one-third the usual number of titles, which from that time on consisted almost exclusively of the annual issues of the almanacs, the Pennsylvania Gazette, and the public printing, all of which were the result of Franklin's enterprise.

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He returned to America in 1762, but in 1764 was again sent to England, his reappointment bringing forth a protest to which he replied in "Remarks on a late Protest against the Appointment of Mr. Franklin as Agent for this Province", and which he published the same year, without any imprint.

He remained in England until 1775, and while there his partnership with Hall expired, depriving him of an income of one thousand pounds a year, which he had enjoyed for eighteen years. The last book to bear the imprint of Franklin and Hall was Letchworth's "A Morning and Evening's Meditation", issued early in 1766.

The inventory on which the settlement of the partnership accounts was based is dated January 27, 1766. It was made by James Parker, who, next to Franklin, was the foremost printer in the Colonies at that time, with presses in New York and New Jersey. In transmitting a copy of his appraisement to Franklin, Parker takes occasion to comment on the run-down condition of the plant, saying: "The Valuation of the Printing Materials seems smaller than I had imagined it would be; but as I examined all the Letter, and saw the whole weighed, I could not do otherways: for the greatest Part of the Letter is much worn; . . . The Furniture and Rules not actually up in Forms was but little

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and poor, and he [Hall] must soon get himself more:— One of the Presses is almost done its best, having been mended so often, as to be very patch'd and Mackled:— On the whole, I think I have valued it, at what I thought was the Value of it, supposing no Advantage of one wanting to buy it, or of one wanting to sell it, on either side to be taken.—yet Mr. Hall says, if there be any Particulars in it, that you shall make Objection to, he is willing it should be rectified.” The value that Parker placed on the printing plant, exclusive of any interest in established publications, or stock of books on hand, etc., was £313, 10 shillings.

That it was many years before a final adjustment was made of the partnership account is shown by a letter written by Franklin to William Strahan, dated Passy, March 5, 1785, in which he says, “ . . . I hope to get home this ensuing Summer. I shall have an old account to settle then with the family of our friend Hall. There is a particular article of some importance, about which we were not agreed, but were to be determined by your opinion. It was the value of a copyright in an established newspaper, of each of which from eight to ten thousand were printed. My long absence from that country, and immense employment the little time I was there, have hitherto prevented the settlement of all the accounts that had been between us;

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though we never differed about them, and never should if that good honest man had continued in being. To prevent all dispute on the above points with his son, it is that I now request your decision; which I doubt not will be satisfactory to us both."

In 1776 Franklin was sent to France as Minister Plenipotentiary, and arrived there early in December. He occupied a house at Passy, tendered him by M. Donatien Le Ray de Chaumont, and here, after a time, he installed a small printing establishment. The types, he says, "were made in my house at Passy, by my servants, for my use, and were never the property of any European letter founder, manufacturer, or merchant whatsoever." Livingston, in his valuable history of the issues of this press, states that Franklin's object in installing it was probably to facilitate the printing of the official blanks and stationery that he needed for the carrying on of his official duties, but its fame is due to the little essays which Franklin wrote and printed himself, for his own amusement, and for that of his small circle of intimate friends. The editions were small, probably not over ten or fifteen copies on an average, and most of them have been destroyed. Of several of the "Bagatelles", the title under which he collected most of the essays, no copy is known to exist today, and of most of the others there exists but a single copy.

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Perhaps the best known of all the issues of this press, as well as the most important from a historical standpoint, is the fake "Supplement to the Boston Independent Chronicle", containing British advertisements for scalps, and an account of bundles of scalps of Americans consigned by Indians in the British pay to agents in London. It was printed in close imitation of a Boston newspaper, even to the insertion of advertisements, that being transmitted to England it might actually be taken for what it purported to be. Having been written with a serious purpose it was given wider circulation than most of the other Passy imprints, and a second edition was printed, with a "Letter from John Paul Jones", also fictitious, added.

In sending a copy of it to John Adams, Franklin wrote, "I send enclosed a paper, of the Veracity of which I have some doubt, as to the Form, but none as to the Substance, for I believe the Number of People actually scalp'd in this murdering war by the Indians to exceed what is mentioned in invoice, and that Muley Ishmael (a happy name for a prince as obstinate as a mule) is full as black a Tyrant as he is represented in Paul Jones' pretended letter. These being *substantial* Truths the Form is to be considered as Paper and Packthread. If it were republish'd in England it might make them a little asham'd of themselves."

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Sometime between April 30, 1783, and the first of January of 1784, Franklin's grandson, Benjamin Franklin Bache, went to Passy, and he was soon at work at the press, learning his grandfather's profession. In writing to his father about him Franklin says, "I have determined to give him a Trade that he may have something to depend on, and not be obliged to ask favors of anybody. . . . He has already begun to learn the business from Masters who come to my house, and is very diligent in working and quick in learning."

Franklin left Passy on July 12, 1785, having been in France about eight years and a half, and arrived in Philadelphia on September 14.

He was officially congratulated by the General Assembly of Pennsylvania on his safe arrival, and the successful performance of his mission; and was immediately chosen President of the Supreme Executive Council of the State, which position he continued to fill for three years, when he gave up all public business.

In spite of all the honors that had been bestowed upon him during the course of his long life, he remained at heart a printer to the end. On March 2, 1789, being then more than 83 years of age, he wrote to Mrs. Catharine Greene, "I am too old to follow printing again myself, but, loving the business, I have brought up my grandson Benjamin to it, and have built

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and furnished a printing-house for him, which he now manages under my eye." And he begins his will, written July 17, 1788, just a year and nine months before his death, "I, Benjamin Franklin, of Philadelphia, Printer, late Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of America to the Court of France, now President of the State of Pennsylvania, do make and declare my last will and testament." He died on April 17, 1790.

*The Body of B. Franklin, Printer,
(Like the Cover of an old Book, Its Con-
tents torn out And stript of its Lettering
& Gilding) Lies here, Food for Worms.
But the Work shall not be lost; For it will,
(as he believ'd) appear once more, In a
new and more elegant Edition Revised and
corrected By the Author.*

Catalogue *of*
The Curtis Collection
of Franklin Imprints

Catalogue *of*
The Curtis Collection
of Franklin Imprints
in the Museum *of*
The Curtis Publishing Company

1719

A|CATALOGUE|Of|Curious and Valuable|Books,|Consisting of|
Divinity.|Philosophy.|History.|Mathematicks.|Poetry.|Plays.|
Voyages and|Travels.*|Generally well Bound.|To be Sold by
Auction,|At the Crown Coffee-House in King-Street Boston,|on
Monday the Twenty Sixth Day of this Instant|October, 1719.
Beginning every Evening at half|an Hour after Four a Clock, until
all be sold.|The Books will be shewn by Samuel Gerrish Book-|
seller, near the Old Meeting-House, where Cata-|logues may be
had gratis; also at Mr. Henchman's,|and at the Place of Sale.|
Printed by J. Franklin. 1719.

*The preceding eight lines are arranged in two columns of four lines each.

Title, 1 leaf; 1-18. 6:2 x 3:8.
Not in Evans.

1722

WALTER (THOMAS)

The sweet Psalmist of Israel. | A | Sermon | Preach'd at the Lec-
ture held in Boston, | by the Society for promoting | Regular & Good
Singing, | And for Reforming the | Depravations and Debasements |

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Our | Psalmody labours under, | In order to introduce the proper and
true | Old Way of Singing. | Now published at the Desire of several
Ministers | that heard it, and at the Request of the Society | aforesaid. |
By Thomas Walter, M. A. | Minister of a Church in Roxbury. |
[Three lines of quotation] | Boston: Printed by J. Franklin, for
S. Gerrish, | near the Brick Meeting-House in Cornhill, 1722.

Half title, 1 leaf; title, 1 leaf; dedication, (4); 1-28. 3:6 x 5:12.

Not in Evans. Evans gives two editions, same year, one with same number of pages and title, but printed "for T. Fleet", and the other with pp (6), 20, printed for S. Gerrish.

Rev. Thomas Walter was born in Roxbury, Mass., in 1696, and died there in 1725. He was graduated from Harvard College in 1713.

1723

THE [No 80 | NEW-ENGLAND COURANT. | From Monday
February 4 to Monday February 11. 1723.

Colophon: Boston: Printed and sold by Benjamin Franklin in
Queen Street, where | Advertisements are taken in.

pp (2). 6:2 x 10.

Ford 4. Evans 2268.

The New-England Courant was started in 1721 by James Franklin, elder brother of Benjamin, No. 1 appearing August 7th, 1721. No. 35, April 2nd, 1722, was the first number containing anything known to have been written by Benjamin, who was a frequent contributor thereafter.

In the early part of the year 1723 James got into trouble with the Massachusetts authorities on account of publishing articles of which they did not approve, and was ordered not to publish the *Courant* or any other paper. He therefore cancelled Benjamin's indentures and made a new contract, nominally transferring the paper to him. On February 11th, 1723, No. 80 of the *Courant* appeared with Benjamin Franklin's name as printer. This is the first appearance on any publication of his name as printer or publisher. He was then only seventeen years of age. He saw through the press every issue after No. 80 until he left Boston in October, 1723. No. 117, October 28th, 1723, may have been prepared by him in advance. No copies of Nos. 118, 119 and 120 are known. No. 121, November 25th, 1723, appeared with his name

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as publisher although he was then in Philadelphia, and this continued well into 1726, including No. 252, June 4th, the latest known issue of the paper. No copies of Nos. 191, 193, 213, 216 and 244 (March 29th, April 12th, August 28th and September 18th, 1725, and April 29th, 1726) are known.

1723

1723-24

[GORDON (THOMAS)]

The | Independent | Whig. [Philadelphia: S. Keimer, 1724.]

pp (16), 1-227, (1). 5:4 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 224.

Written by Thomas Gordon against the tendency of the Church of England towards "Popery". It was reprinted by Keimer from the English edition of 1721.

Keimer published the first 72 pages in weekly numbers of four pages each; pages 73-80 in a weekly number of eight pages; and pages 81 to the end, in book form, thus completing the entire book.

Franklin was employed by Keimer at the time, and probably worked on the book.

1725

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]

A | Dissertation | On | Liberty and Necessity, | Pleasure and Pain. |
[Five lines of quotation] | [Ornament] | London: | Printed in the Year
MDCCXXV.

Colophon: This is a facsimile reprint by Charles Whittingham, London, from the original edition in the possession of Henry Stevens, Esq.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-32. 3:1 x 6.

Ford 8.

Some of Wollaston's reasonings in *The Religion of Nature* appeared to Franklin not well founded, therefore "I wrote a little metaphysical piece in which I made remarks on them. It was entitled *A Dissertation on Liberty and Necessity, Pleasure and Pain*. I inscribed it to my friend Ralph. I printed a small number. My printing the pamphlet was another erratum.

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"There were only one hundred copies printed of which I gave a few to friends, and afterwards, disliking the piece . . . I burnt the rest except one copy." There are only four known copies of the original in existence; one in the Library of Congress, one in the John Carter Brown Library, one in the British Museum, and the Huth copy which was recently sold in London.

The facsimile reprint was published by Henry Stevens in 1854. The edition was limited to twenty-five copies. It is a type facsimile with a different ornament on the title page.

[WOLLASTON (WILLIAM)]

The | Religion | Of | Nature | Delineated. | [Five lines of quotation] | [Ornament] | London: | Printed by S. Palmer, and sold by B. Lintott, W. and J. Innys, | J. Osborn, J. Batley, and T. Longman. 1725.

pp 219. 7:12 x 5.

William Wollaston, moral philosopher, was born in 1660, and died in 1724. *The Religion of Nature* was his only important work. Ten thousand copies were sold in a few years. Today it is remembered only by its association with the youthful Franklin as a compositor.

Franklin arrived in London, December 24th, 1724, and was employed at S. Palmer's printing office. While there he worked as a compositor on *The Religion of Nature Delineated*. In his autobiography he says that he worked on the second edition, but this is a mistake, as the second edition was published before the author's death, October 29th, 1724. He must have worked on the edition of 1725, the third, as that was published while he was at Palmer's.

1726

THE [No 247 | NEW-ENGLAND COURANT. | From Saturday April 16. to Saturday April 23. 1726.

Colophon: Boston: Printed and sold by Benjamin Franklin in Union-Street, where | Advertisements and Letters are taken in. Price 4 d. single, or 12 s. a Year.

pp (2). 10:12 x 6:5.

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This is one of the numbers with Franklin's name as printer but which he did not print. The numbers which he did not print but which have his imprint after he had left Boston are Nos. 121-252, November 25th, 1723-June 4th, 1726.

1728

1728

SEWELL (WILLIAM)

The | History | Of The | Rise, Increase, and Progress, | Of the Christian People called | Quakers: | Intermixed with Several | Remarkable Occurrences. | Written Originally in Low-Dutch, and also Tran- | slated into English, | By William Sewel. | The Third Edition, Corrected. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by Samuel Keimer in Second Street. | MDCCXXVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; dedication, 1 leaf; preface, (8); history, 1-687; addenda, 688-694; index, (16). 5:7 x 10:1.

Hildeburn 350.

William Sewell was born in Amsterdam, of English ancestry, about 1650, and died about 1725. His *History of the Quakers* was first printed in Dutch in 1717. It was translated into English and published in 1722 and 1725. It has been several times reprinted both in Great Britain and America. It was translated into German in 1742. It is still highly esteemed.

Keimer had the contract for printing Sewell's *History of the Quakers* as early as 1725 but had only partly finished it when Franklin and Meredith opened their "new Printing-Office" in the Spring of 1728. To hurry the publication Keimer had to farm out the last third (pp 533-694, and index) to Franklin. Together they finished the book in time to publish it in 1728. As Franklin was employed by Keimer during 1727 and until he set up for himself, he probably worked also on the part which Keimer printed. He is thus doubly associated with the book. It is the first known production of Franklin's press in Philadelphia.

1730

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
& Hiberniae, | Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the Pro- | vince
of Pennsylvania, begun and holden at | Philadelphia, the Fourteenth

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1730

Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1729. In the Third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of Great | Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournment to the Twelfth of | January, 1729. Being the Second Session of this present | Assembly. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin and H. Meredith, at the New | Printing-Office near the Market. | M,DCC,XXX.

Title, 1 leaf; text, 3-6 [An Act for the better enabling divers Inhabitants of the Province of Pennsylvania, to hold Lands, and to invest them with the Privileges of Natural born Subjects of the said Province]; one blank leaf.

4:14 x 9:1.

The title page is the same as Tower 657, and Hildeburn 391, first title, but the separate publication with its own pagination is not mentioned by either. The act occupies pp 43-45 of the regular issue, of which p 46 is blank, p 47 is a table, and p 48 is blank. The act was for the benefit of certain Germans of Lancaster County. See Colonial Records, Vol. 3, pp 397-99 and 403-04.

[BEISSEL (CONRAD)]

Mystische | Und sehr geheyme | Sprueche, | Welche in der Him-
lischen schule des | heiligen geistes erlernen. | Und dan folgens, einige |
Poetische Gedichte. | Auffgesetzt. | Den liebhabern und schülern der |
Göttlichen und Himmlischen | weiszheit zum dienst. | Vor | Die säu
dieser welt aber, haben wir keine | speise, werden ihnen auch wohl
ein | verschlossener garden, und | versiegelter brun- | nen bleiben. |
Zu Philadelphia: | Gedruckt bey B. Franklin in Jahr 1730.

Title, 1 page; (1); 3-32. 2:12 x 5:4.

Not in Hildeburn.

This is the Henry S. Heilman copy, the only perfect one known. It is the earliest book with the imprint "B. Franklin". The *Chronicon Ephra-tense* (p 35) gives the impression that it was published in 1729, but if it had been published before July 14th, 1730, it would probably have had the imprint "Franklin and Meredith". As the partnership was dissolved on that date, the book was probably published shortly after Franklin started in business for himself.

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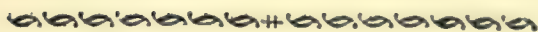
POETISCHE GEDICHTE.

AUFFGESETZT.

Den liebhabern und schülern der
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V O R

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verschlossener garden, und
versiegelter brun-
nen bleiben.



Zu PHILADELPHIA:

Gedruckt bey B. FRANKLIN in Jahr 1730.

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The *Mystische* was written by Conrad Beissel, the most noted member of the Ephrata Community. It consists of 99 "Mystical and very Secret" sentences, the very number 99 having a mystical significance.

An interesting account of the book may be seen in Sachse's *Sectarians*, Vol. I, pp 159-164.

1731

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
& Hiberniae | Quarto. | At a General Assembly of the Pro- | vince
of Pennsylvania, begun and holden at | Philadelphia, the Fourteenth
Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1730. In the Fourth Year of the
Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of
Great | Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith,
&c. | And from thence continued by Adjournment to the Fourth
of | January, 1730. Being the Second Session of | this Assembly. |
[Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin
and H. Meredith, at the | New Printing-Office near the Market. |
M,DCC,XXX. [1731]

Title, 1 leaf; 61-89. 4:13 x 9.

Hildeburn 419. Tower 659.

ARSCOT (ALEXANDER)

Some | Considerations | Relating to the | Present State | Of The |
Christian Religion, | Wherein the Nature, End and Design | of
Christianity, as well as the Principal Evidence | of the Truth of it,
are explained and recom- | mended out of the Holy Scriptures, with
a ge- | neral Appeal to the Experience of all Men for | Confirmation
thereof. | By Alexander Arscot. | [Two lines of quotation] | Phila-
delphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office
near the Market. 1731.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, (5); contents, 1 page; text, 9-III; advertisement,
1 page. The advertisement begins "Books Printed and Sold at the New
Printing office near the Market". 2:11 x 5:3.

Hildeburn 420.

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Alexander Arscot was born in 1677, and died in 1737. The first part of his *Some Considerations* was published in London in 1730 and the second in 1731.

1732

1732

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
 & Hiberniae | Quinto. | At a General Assembly of the Pro- | vince
 of Pennsylvania, begun and holden at | Philadelphia, the Fourteenth
 Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1731. In the Fifth Year of the Reign
 of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of Great |
 Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith, &c. |
 And from thence continued by Adjournment to the Tenth of |
 January, 1731. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by
 B. Franklin, at the | New Printing-Office near the Market. | M,DCC,-
 XXXI. [1732]

Title, 1 leaf; 93-95. 4:10 x 8:12.

Hildeburn 434. Tower 660.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
 & Hiberniae | Sexto. | At a General Assembly of the Pro- | vince
 of Pennsylvania, begun and holden at | Philadelphia, the Fourteenth
 Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1731. In the Fifth Year of the Reign
 of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of Great |
 Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith, &c. |
 And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Thirty- | first
 of July, 1732. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by
 B. Franklin, at the | New Printing-Office near the Market. | M,DCC,-
 XXXII.

Title, 1 leaf; 99-102. 4:11 x 8:11.

Hildeburn 434. Tower 661.

ARSCOT (ALEXANDER)

Some | Considerations | Relating to the | Present State | Of The |
 Christian Religion, | Wherein the Nature, End and Design | of Chris-

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1732 tianity, as well as the Principal Evidence | of the Truth of it, are
explained and recom- | mended out of the Holy Scriptures; with a
ge- | neral Appeal to the Experience of all Men for | Confirmation
thereof. | By Alexander Arscot. | [Two lines of quotation] | London
Printed: | Reprinted by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office,
in Philadelphia. 1732.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, (5); contents, (1); text, 9-111; advertisement, (1).

2:11 x 5:4.

Hildeburn 435. The 1731 edition, with a slightly different title page.
The concluding advertisement is different and begins with the heading,
"Sold by B. Franklin".

[ARSCOT (ALEXANDER)]

Some | Considerations | Relating to the | Present State | Of The |
Christian Religion. | Part II. | Wherein the principal Evidence of |
the Christian Religion is explain'd and defended | upon the Princi-
ples of Reason, as well as Revela- | tion: With Observations on some
Passages in the | Book intituled, Christianity as old as the Creation, | so
far as concerns the Doctrine herein advanced. | By Alexander Arscot. |
[Three lines of quotation] | London Printed: | Reprinted by B. Frank-
lin, at the New- | Printing-Office, in Philadelphia. 1732.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii, (5); text, 9-140; contents, (2); advertisement
(1). 2:11 x 5:4.

Hildeburn 435.

EVANS (DAVID)

The | Minister of Christ, | And The | Duties of his Flock; | As
it was Delivered in a | Sermon | At Abington in Pensilvania, | De-
cember 30. 1731. | At the Ordination of | Mr. Richard Treat | To
the Gospel Ministry there. | With an Appendix of the Questions
then pub- | lickly proposed, and the Charges given. | Published at
the Request of some of the Auditory. | By David Evans, Minister
at Tredyffryn. | [Five lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed
by B. Franklin, 1732.

T H E
Minister of Christ,
AND THE
Duties of his Flock;

As it was Delivered in a

S E R M O N

At Abington in Pennsylvania,

December 30. 1731.

At the O R D I N A T I O N of
Mr. RICHARD TREAT

To the Gospel Ministry there.

With an Appendix of the *Questions* then publicly proposed, and the *Charges* given.

Published at the Request of some of the Auditory.

By DAVID EVANS, Minister at Tredyffryn.

1 Tim. iv. 6. *If thou put the Brethren in remembrance of these things, thou shalt be a good Minister of Jesus Christ, &c.*

1 Cor. iv. 1. *Let a Man so account of us, as of the Ministers of Christ, &c.*

P H I L A D E L P H I A :

Printed by B. FRANKLIN, 1732.

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Title, 1 leaf; 3-96; appendix; 97-108. 2:5 x 4:10.
Hildeburn 438, with incorrect collation.
The only known copy.

1732

POOR RICHARD, 1733. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1733, | Being the First after Leap Year: | [Six lines] | Wherein
is contained | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of | the Weather,
Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects, Sun and Moon's
Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of High Water, | Fairs,
Courts, and observable Days. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty De-
grees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from London, | but may
without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent Places, even from
Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard Saunders, Philom. |
Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin, at the New | Print-
ing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). 3 x 5:10.
Facsimile of Hildeburn 448.

Facsimile of the first *Poor Richard*, published by George S. Appleton, Philadelphia [1849]. The original Richard Saunders was a noted English astrologer of the seventeenth century (1613-1687), who published a series of almanacs under the name of the *Apollo Anglicanus*. William Winstanley, a contemporary of Saunders, published a series of almanacs under the name of *Poor Robin*. Both of these almanacs had been published continuously when Franklin went into business.

Franklin's brother James published at Newport, Rhode Island, the *Rhode Island Almanack for 1728*, by "Poor Robin".

When Franklin started his New Printing Office he engaged Thomas Godfrey, the inventor of the quadrant, to write an almanac, which he published for the years 1730, 1731 and 1732. Godfrey and his wife quarreled with Franklin in 1732, and as a result the almanac for 1733 was given to Bradford to publish. Franklin had published also Jerman's almanac for 1732, but for some reason Jerman took the issue for 1733 to Bradford, although he came back the following year. This left Franklin without any almanac for 1733. As almanacs were among the most profitable publications of the day, Franklin immediately wrote a new one and published it in December, 1732. He adopted the pen name of Richard Saunders and the "Poor" Robin suggested the name "*Poor*" *Richard*.

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The *Poor Richard Almanacks* were a great success from the very start. Franklin ceased to edit them with the issue for 1758, but his name remained as publisher for eight years longer. During his editorship the almanacs served as a vehicle for his humor and his wisdom. *Poor Richard's* sayings became bywords, and they remain so today. While all of the contemporary almanacs have sunk into oblivion and are sought for merely to complete files in a few public libraries, the *Poor Richard Almanacks* live as an important contribution to English literature.

1732

An interesting circumstance connected with *Poor Richard* is that the name in its French form—*Bonhomme Richard*—was given to John Paul Jones's ship which figured so prominently in the American Revolution.

VORSPIEL | DER | NEUEN-WELT. | Welches sich in der letzten Abendroethe | als ein paradisischer Lichtes-glanz | unter den Kindern Gottes | hervor gethan. | In | Liebes, Lobes, Leidens, Krafft | und Erfahrungs liedern abgebildet, die | gedrückte, gebückte und Creutz- | tragende Kirche auf Erden. | Und wie inzwischen sich | Die obere und Triumphirende Kirche | als eine Paradiesische vorkost her- | vor thut und offenbahret. | Und daneben, als | Ernstliche und zuruffende wächterstimmen | an alle annoch zerstreute Kinder Gottes, das sie | sich sammeln und bereit machen auf den | baldigen; Ja bald herein brechen- | den Hochzeit -Tag der braut | des Lamms. | Zu Philadelphia: Gedruckt bey Benjamin | Francklin, in der Marck-Strass. 1732.

Title, 1 page; (1); 3-200. 3 x 5:4.

Hildeburn 452.

Printed in Roman type. German type was not used in America until the year 1739.

According to Dr. Sachse the *Vorspiel* contains all the Hymns of the *Göttliche Liebes und Lobesgethöne*, printed in 1730, with fifty-five new ones, of which twenty-four were written by Conrad Beissel and the rest by Michael Wohlfarth, Martin Bremer and others. The *Göttliche* was the first German Hymn Book published in America, the *Vorspiel* being the second.

Conrad Beissel was born in Eberbach, Germany, in 1690, and died in Ephrata, Pennsylvania, in 1768. He was celebrated as a religious teacher, author, and writer of hymns which he set to music.

THE CURTIS COLLECTION

1733

1733 ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
 & Hiberniae | Septimo. | At a General Assembly of the Pro-|vince
 of Pennsylvania, begun and holden at | Philadelphia, the Fourteenth
 Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1733. In the Seventh Year of the
 Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the Grace of God,
 of | Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender | of the Faith,
 &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Seventeenth |
 of December, 1733. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold
 by B. Franklin, at the | New Printing-Office near the Market. |
 M,DCC,XXXIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 105-128. 4:9 x 8:11.
 Hildeburn 454. Tower 662.

ARTICLES | OF | AGREEMENT | Made And Concluded Upon
 Between | The Right Honourable The | Lord Proprietary of
 Maryland, | And The Honourable The | Proprietarys of Pensilvania,
 &c. | Touching The | Limits and Boundaries of the Two Provinces. |
 With | The Commission, | Constituting certain Persons to execute
 the same. | [Small Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Frank-
 lin, at the New Printing-Office | near the Market. M,DCC,XXXIII.

Folding map of Delaware and portions of Pennsylvania, Maryland
 and Virginia, facing title; title, 1 leaf; articles, 3-13; (1); commission, 15-
 19. 5:4 x 9:12.
 Hildeburn 455.

KNOW ALL MEN by these Presents, That | [Two blank
 lines] | Held and firmly bound unto | in the
 full and just Sum of | To be paid to the said
 | his certain Attorney, | Executors, Administrators, or
 Assigns. For the which Payment well and truly to be made | and
 done bind | Heirs, Executors, Admin-
 istrators, | firmly by these Presents. Sealed with

KNOW All Men by these Presents, That we
Abednego Thomas and Richard Treat both of
 the County of Philad^a and Province of Pensil^a are
 Held and firmly bound unto *Humphrey Morrey* of Philad^a in
 the Province of Gent^lman in the full and just Sum of *four hundred pounds*
Lawfull money of America - To be paid to the said *Humphrey Morrey* or
 his certain Attorney,
 Executors, Administrators, or Assigns. For the which Payment well and truly to be made
 and done we bind our selves and every of us our and every of
 our Heirs, Executors, Administrators, jointly and
 severally - firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our Seals Dated this
twentieth Day of *November* in the *fourth* Year of His Majesty's
 Reign; Annoque Domini, 1733.

THE CONDITION of this Obligation is such, That where-
 as the Above-named *Humphrey Morrey* - at the special Instance and
 Request, and for the only Debt, Duty and Cause of the Above-bounden *Abednego Thomas and*
Richard Treat did become Bound together with him the said *Abednego Thomas and*
Richard Treat - unto *Benjamin Suffitt* of Philad^a afores^d Gentleman - by one
 Bond or Obligation bearing over date herewith - in the penal
 Sum of *two hundred pounds* - our lawful
 Money of *America* Conditioned for the true Payment of *one hundred*
pounds of like money and interest unto the said *Benjamin*
Suffitt his Executors, Administrators or Assigns, on the *twentieth* Day of
November next which will be in the Year of our Lord *One Thousand seven Hun-*
dered and Thirty four As by the same Writing Obligatory, relation being thereunto had,
 appears. NOW if so be the Above-bounden *Abednego Thomas and Richard Treat* their either of
 their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, shall and do well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto
 the said *Benjamin Suffitt* - his Executors, Administrators or
 Assigns the said Sum of *one hundred pounds with lawful interest for*
same on the *twentieth* Day of *November* Anno Domini *One*
Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty four - in Discharge of the said recited Writing Obli-
 gatory, And of and from the same, and all Costs, Charges, Penalties and Damages to be suffered
 by the said *Humphrey Morrey* - his Heirs, Executors or Administra-
 tors shall and do well and sufficiently save, acquit, defend, keep harmless, and indemnified the
 said *Humphrey Morrey* - his Heirs, Executors and Administrators,
 and all his and their Lands and Tenements, Goods and Chattels, Then this present Obligation to
 be Void, or else to be and remain in full Force and Virtue.

Sealed and Delivered in
 the Presence of us

Amey Lawrence
W. Lawrence

Abednego Thomas

Richard Treat

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1733 Seal Dated this | Day of in the
Year of H Majesty's | Reign; Annoque Domini, 17 | The
Condition of this Obligation is such, That where- | [25 lines] | Phila-
delphia: Sold at the New Printing-Office near the Market.

Broadside; printed blank for bond. 5:4 x 10:2.

The only known copy. It is reproduced on the preceding page, slightly reduced in size.

After Franklin and Meredith dissolved their partnership, Franklin, in his *Autobiography*, says: "I now [about 1730] open'd a little stationer's shop. I had in it blanks of all sorts, the correctest that ever appear'd among us, being assisted in that by my friend Breintnal."

Franklin's legal blanks are among the rarest of all his imprints. Only five specimens are known, each of them the only one of its kind. Two are in this collection, and the other three are in the Franklin Papers owned by the American Philosophical Society. One is a Power of Attorney from Franklin to his wife; another is an Indenture of James Franklin as apprentice; and the other is a Bond for the return of money borrowed by James Parker. All are late in date, and one of them was printed by Franklin and Hall.

[LOGAN (JAMES)]

The Latter Part Of | The | Charge | Delivered from the Bench
to the | Grand Inquest, | at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol
Delivery, held | for the City and County of Philadelphia, | At Phila-
delphia the 24th Day of September 1733. | Published at the Request
of the said Inquest. | With their Address.

pp (3); title at top of page 1. 5:4 x 9:1.
Hildeburn 463.

A NEW VERSION | Of The | Psalms | Of | David, | Fitted to the
Tunes Used | In | Churches. | By | N. Brady, D. D. Chaplain in
Ordinary, | and N. Tate, Esq; Poet Laureat to His | Majesty. | Phila-
delphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, | at the New Printing-
Office, near the | Market. Sold also by A. Bradford, at | the Bible
in Second-Street. 1733.

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Facing the title, 1 page—At The Court at Kensington; title, 1 leaf; May the 23d, 1698, 1 page; proper psalms, (3); psalms, 9-280; Gloria Patri, (2); table, (3); directions about the tunes, 1 page +. 2:8 x 4:10.

Hildeburn 467.

1734

The catchword *A New* is at the bottom of the last page. Hildeburn gives no more pages, but the copy in the library of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, from which his collation was made, has the catchword erased, and the paper is thin at the spot where the catchword should be.

American editions of Brady and Tate were published in New York in 1710 and 1713, and in Boston in 1713 and 1720, all before Franklin's edition. The first complete English edition was published in 1696. It was followed by many others.

1734

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
& Hiberniae | Octavo. | At a General Assembly of the Pro-
vince of Pennsylvania, begun and holden at | Philadelphia, the Four-
teenth Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1733, in the Seventh Year of
the Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the Grace of God,
of | Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender | of the Faith,
&c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Twelfth |
of August, 1734. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold
by B. Franklin, at the | New Printing-Office near the Market. |
M,DCC,XXXIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 131-133. 4:11 x 8:13.

Hildeburn 474. Tower 663.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
& Hiberniae, | Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the Pro- | vince
of Pennsylvania, begun and holden at | Philadelphia, the Fourteenth
Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1729. In the Third Year of the Reign
of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of Great |
Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith, &c. |

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1734

And from thence continued by Adjournment to the Twelfth of | January, 1729. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the | New Printing-Office near the Market. | M,DCC,-XXXIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-34. 4:9 x 8:12.

Hildeburn 475. Not in Tower. A reprint of (Hildeburn 391; Tower 657) Acts of Assembly, October 14th, 1729, to January 12th, 1729-30, published in 1730. The title page is the same except in the date of imprint. The reprint omits two acts, one that had been repealed and one that had expired.

THE|CONSTITUTIONS|Of The|Free-Masons.|Containing The| History, Charges, Regulations, &c. | of that most Ancient and Right| Worshipful Fraternity. | For the Use of the Lodges. | [Ornament] | London Printed; Anno 5723. | Re-printed in Philadelphia by special Order, [by B. Franklin] for the Use | of the Brethren in North-America. | In the Year of Masonry 5734, Anno Domini 1734.

Title, 1 leaf; dedication, (6); text, 7-94. 4 x 6:4.

Hildeburn 479. The first Masonic book printed in America. Reprinted from the London edition of 1723.

1735

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae, & Hiberniae, | Octavo. | At a General Assembly of the Province of Pennsylvania, begun and holden | at Philadelphia, the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1734. In the Eighth Year of the Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of | Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Seven- | teenth Day of March, 1734. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin at the New | Printing-Office, near the Market. | M,DCC,XXXIV. [1735]

Title, 1 leaf; 137-154. 4:12 x 8:13.

Hildeburn 499. Tower 664.

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CATO'S | MORAL | DISTICHS | Englished in Couplets. | [Orna-
ment] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, 1735.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-vi, 7-23; errata, 1 page. 4 x 6.

Hildeburn 505.

1735

The first printed edition of *Cato's Moral Distichs* was published without date. Brunet attributes it to a date anterior to the Gutenberg Bible. Hain thinks it was printed at Louvain several years later. Many other editions were printed before the year 1500.

This collection of moral precepts, in Latin verse, which was ostensibly written by "Dionysius Cato," was a standard text book for the young. The translation, the first published in the British Colonies, was made by James Logan.

POOR RICHARD, 1736. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1736, | Being Bissextile or Leap Year | [Six lines of quota-
tion] | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment
of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects,
Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of
High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days | Fitted to the Lati-
tude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from
London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent
Places, even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard
Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Frank-
lin, at the New | Printing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.

Hildeburn 524.

1736

JACOBS | Kampff- und Ritter-Platz | Allwo | Der nach seinem
ursprung sich sehnende | geist der in Sophiam verliebten seele |
mit Gott um den neuen namen | gerungen, und den Sieg | davon
getragen. | Entworffen | In Unterschidlichen Glaubens- | u. leidens-
liedern, u. erfahrungs vollen aus- | truckungen des gemuths, darin-
nen sich | dar stellet, so wol auff seiten Gottes | seine unermuedete

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1736

arbeit zur rei- | nigung solcher seelen, die sich | seiner fuerung an-
vertraut. | Als Auch | Auff seiten des Menschen der ernst des | geistes
im aus halten unter dem process | der läuterung und abschmeltzung |
des Menschen der Sünden samt | dem daraus entspringen- | den lobes-
gethön. | Zur | Gemüthlichen erweckung derer die das heil | Jeru-
salems lieb haben. | Verleget | Von einem liebhaber der wahrheit die
im ver- | borgenen wohnt. | Zu Philadelphia, gedruckt bey B. F.
1736.

Title, 1 page; (1); text, 3-51; register, p 52. 2:15 x 5:6.

Hildeburn 536.

This is an enlarged edition of the *Vorspiel der Neuen-Welt*, published in 1732, just as the *Vorspiel* was an enlargement of the *Göttliche Liebes und Lobesgethöne*, published in 1730, the first German Hymn Book published in America. It contains thirty-two mystical hymns of which Conrad Beissel wrote twenty-eight.

[LOGAN (JAMES)]

The | Charge | Delivered from the Bench to the | Grand In-
quest, | At a Court of Oyer and Terminer | and General Goal-
Delivery, held for the City and County | of Philadelphia, April 13.
1736. | [Small Ornament] | Philadelphia; | Printed and Sold by B.
Franklin. | M,DCC,XXXVI.

Title, 1 leaf; text, 3-22; address, p 23; advertisement, p 24.

3:14 x 5:9.

Hildeburn 540.

POOR RICHARD, 1737. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1737, | Being the First after Leap Year. | [Six lines of quota-
tion] | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment
of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects,
Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of
High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days | Fitted to the Lati-
tude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from

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London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent
Places, even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard
Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Frank-
lin, at the New | Printing-Office near the Market.

1737

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.
Hildeburn 544.

1737

FOX (GEORGE)

Instructions | For | Right Spelling, | And | Plain Directions | For |
Reading | And | Writing | True English | With several delightful |
Things, very useful and | necessary, both for Young | and Old, to
read and | learn. | By G. Fox. | Re-printed at Philadelphia | by
B. Franklin. 1737.

Title, 1 page; table, 1 page; 3-120. There may be more pages, as the
bottom of page 120 is missing. 2:6 (probably) x 4:13.

The only known copy. Unknown to Hildeburn or Evans.

The *Instructions for Right Spelling* was written by the founder of the
Society of Friends. It was first published in 1706.

LAY (BENJAMIN)

All | Slave-Keepers | That keep the Innocent in Bondage, | Apos-
tates | Pretending to lay Claim to the Pure | & Holy Christian Re-
ligion; of what Congregation | so ever; but especially in their
Ministers, by whose | example the filthy Leprosy and Apostacy is |
spread far and near; it is a notorious Sin, which | many of the true
Friends of Christ, and his pure | Truth, called Quakers, has been
for many Years, | and still are concern'd to write and bear Testi-
mo- | ny against; as a Practice so gross & hurtful to Re- | ligion,
and destructive to Government, beyond | what Words can set forth,
or can be declared of | by Men or Angels, and yet lived in by Minis-
ters | and Magistrates in America. | The Leaders of the People cause
them to Err. | Written for a General Service, by | him that truly and
sincerely desires the present | and eternal Welfare and Happiness of

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1737 all Man- | kind, all the World over, of all Colours, and | Nations,
as his own Soul; | Benjamin Lay. | Philadelphia: | Printed for the
Author. 1737.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, (3); 6-271; contents, (5); errata, 1 page.

2:11 x 5:1.

Hildeburn 556.

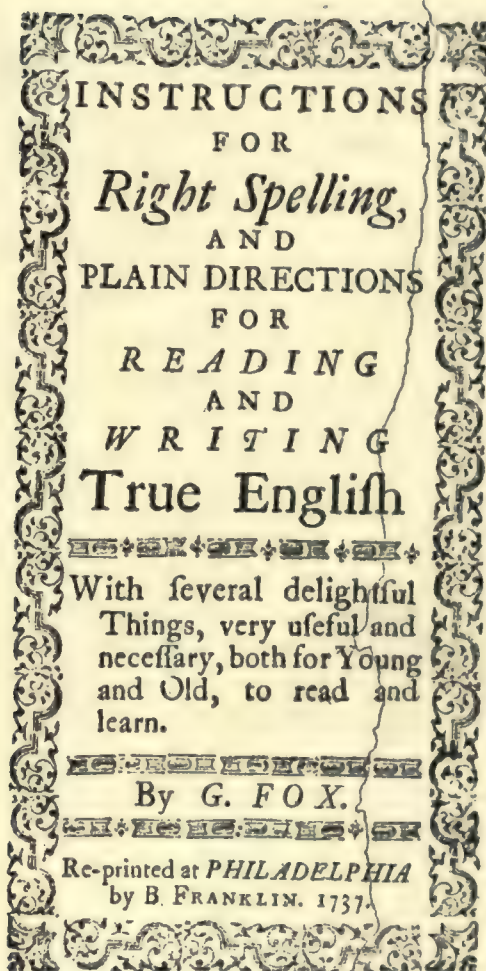
Benjamin Lay (1677-1760) was born in England. He came to America in 1710 and settled at Abington, Pa. He went to Barbados in 1718 and stayed there until 1731, when he came to Philadelphia. He was a Quaker and a philanthropist. He was a pioneer opponent of slavery in this country and was fierce in his denunciation of it. He quarreled with the Quakers in 1717 because slave holding was permitted, but later he returned to them. At the end of his book he describes himself as a "poor common sailor and illiterate man." If we may trust the only known portrait of him, he was almost a dwarf and was very deformed.

POOR RICHARD, 1738. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1738, | Being the Second after Leap Year. | [Six lines of quota-
tion] | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment
of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects,
Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of
High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days | Fitted to the Lati-
tude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from
London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent
Places, even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard
Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Frank-
lin, at the New | Printing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.

Hildeburn 561.

A | TREATY | Of | Friendship | Held With The | Chiefs Of The
Six Nations, | At | Philadelphia, | In | September and October,
1736. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Frank-
lin, at the New Printing-Office | near the Market. M,DCC,XXXVII.



Part of the title page is missing.
The part to the right of the irregular
line is a restoration.

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Title, 1 leaf; 3-14. 5:9 x 9:7.

Hildeburn 564, without collation.

The earliest and the rarest of the Indian Treaties printed by Franklin. There is only one other known copy, the one owned by the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

Franklin printed, in all, fourteen Indian Treaties, between 1737 and 1763. The Curtis Collection has twelve of the fourteen, making it the largest collection of such treaties in existence.

1738

POOR RICHARD, 1739. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1739, | Being the Third after Leap Year. | [Six lines of quotation] |
Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment
of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects,
Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of
High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days | Fitted to the Latitude
of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from
London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent
Places, even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard
Saunders, Philom | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin,
at the New | Printing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.

Hildeburn 585. The only sale recorded is of a very poor copy which brought \$565.00 in the Hurst sale, May, 1904.

WOOLVERTON (CHARLES)

Christ | The | Eternal Word, | The | Only Means of Man's | Salvation;
| Briefly asserted: Submitted to the sober Per- | usal of all
Christian Professors. | By Charles Woolverton. | [Nine lines of quotation]
| Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, for the Author. |
M,DCC,XXXVIII.

Title, 1 page; preface, (1); text, 3-40. 3:3 x 5:11.

Hildeburn 591, without collation.

THE
HISTORY
OF
JOSEPH.
A
POEM.

IN TEN BOOKS.

By a FEMALE HAND.



PHILADELPHIA:
Printed and Sold by B. FRANKLIN, 1739.

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1739

1739

POOR RICHARD, 1740. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1740, | Being Leap Year. | [Six lines of quotation] | Wherein is
contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of | the Weather,
Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects, Sun and Moon's
Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of High Water, |
Fairs, Courts, and observable Days. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty
Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from London, | but
may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent Places, even
from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin, at the
New | Printing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). First edition. 2:14 x 5:14.
Hildeburn 606.

[ROWE (ELIZABETH)]

The | History | Of | Joseph. | A | Poem. | In Ten Books. | By
a Female Hand. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by
B. Franklin, 1739.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-63. 3:3 x 5:8.

Hildeburn 605, without collation. The only known copy.

Elizabeth Rowe, 1674-1737, was the daughter of Walter Singer and was
married to Thomas Rowe. She published *The History of Joseph* in London,
in 1736. A complete edition of her works was published in four volumes,
London, 1796.

WHITEFIELD (GEORGE)

A | Journal | Of A | Voyage | From | Gibraltar to Georgia. | By |
Geo. Whitefield, A. B. | Of Pembroke College, Oxford. | Contain-
ing | Many curious Observations, and Edifying | Reflections, on the
several Occurrences | that happen'd in the Voyage. | Philadelphia, |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, | in Market-Street, 1739.

Second Title: A | Continuation | Of the Reverend | Mr. White-
field's | Journal | From | His Arrival at Savannah, | To | His Return

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to London. | [Small Ornament] | Philadelphia, | Printed and Sold
by B. Franklin, | in Market-Street, 1739.

Third Title: A | Continuation | Of the Reverend | Mr. White-
field's | Journal | From | His Arrival at London, | To | His Depart-
ture from thence, on | His Way to Georgia. | [Small Ornament] |
Philadelphia, | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, | in Market-Street,
1739.

1740

Title, 1 leaf; 3-45; second title, 1 page; preface, 1 page; 49-102; third
title, 1 leaf; 105-252. 2:6 x 4:5.

Hildeburn 612.

1740

A | COLLECTION | Of | Charters | And Other Publick Acts |
Relating to the | Province of Pennsylvania, | Viz. | I. The Royal
Charter to William Penn, Esq; | II. The first Frame of Government,
granted in England, in 1682. | III. Laws agreed upon in England. |
IV. Certain Conditions or Concessions. | V. The Act of Settlement,
made at Chester, 1682. | VI. The second Frame of Government,
granted 1683. | VII. The Charter of the City of Philadelphia, |
granted October 25. 1701. | VIII. The New Charter of Privileges
to | the Province, granted October 28. 1701. | [Square Ornament] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, in Market-Street. |
M,DCC,XL.

Title, 1 leaf; 1-46. 5:6 x 9:9.

Hildeburn 622. Tower 669.

PEMBERTON (ISRAEL), AND SON

Copy of Part of a Letter from Israel Pemberton, and Son, of
Philadelphia, to | David Barclay, and Son, of London. | Philadel-
phia, the 1st of the 3d Mo. 1740.

A one-page broadside, 5:8 x 7:12, about rumors of a war with France.
Not in Hildeburn.

Attributed to Franklin's press.

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DEWSBURY (WILLIAM)

1740 A | Sermon | On The | Important Doctrine | Of | Regeneration. |
Preached at Grace Church-Street, the Sixth of | the Third Month,
1688. | By William Dewsbury. | Taken from his Mouth in Short-
hand. | William Dewsbury was one of the first Preachers | among
those called Quakers; a very zealous | Teacher and an eminent
Instrument to the Conver- | sion of many. Sewel's History,
page 591. | Philadelphia: | Reprinted and Sold by B. Franklin, | in
Market-Street. M,DCC,XL.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-24. 3 x 5:5.

Hildeburn 625.

William Dewsbury, 1621-1688, was a prominent Quaker preacher in England. He was imprisoned many times for his opinions, his total prison life amounting to nineteen years. This sermon is reprinted from Sewell's History. The first separate English edition did not appear until 1741.

ERSKINE (RALPH)

Gospel Sonnets, | Or, | Spiritual Songs. | In Six Parts. | I. The
Believer's | Espousals. | II. The Believer's | Jointure. | III. The Be-
liever's | Riddle. | IV. The Believer's | Lodging. | V. The Believer's |
Soliloquy. | VI. The Believer's | Principles,* | Concerning, | Creation
and Redemption. | Law and Gospel, | Justification and Santification, |
Faith and Sense, | Heaven and Earth. | The Fifth Edition, | With
large Additions and great Improvements. | By Ralph Erskine, M. A. |
[Ornament] | London: Printed. | Philadelphia: Re-printed and Sold
by | B. Franklin, in Market-street, 1740.

*The foregoing twelve lines are arranged in six lines double column.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-xvi, 1-270. 2:15 x 5:5.

Hildeburn 626.

Ralph Erskine was a Scotch Presbyterian clergyman. He was educated at the University of Edinburgh. He was born in 1685 and died in 1752.

MY DEAR | FELLOW-TRAVELLER, | Here hast Thou | A
Letter, | Which | I have wrote to Thee out of the Fulness | of
my Heart | And | With many Tears | For Thy Salvation's sake; |

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And | The Lamb Of God | Hath sprinkled it with His Blood, | That
it will be profitable for Thee, | If Thou abidest by thy Heart, |
Or now findest thy Heart.

1740

Title, 1 leaf; 3-23. 2:8 x 4:12.
Hildeburn 4615.
One of the rarest of Franklin imprints.

POOR RICHARD, 1741. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1741, | Being the First after Leap Year. | [Six lines of quotation] |
Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of | the
Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects, Sun and
Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of High Water, |
Fairs, Courts, and observable Days. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty
Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from London, | but
may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent Places, even
from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin, at the
New | Printing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.
Hildeburn 652.

SMITH (JOSIAH)

The | Character, Preaching, &c. | Of The Reverend | Mr. Geo.
Whitefield, | Impartially represented and supported, | In A | Sermon |
Preach'd in Charlestown, South-Carolina, | March 26. Anno
Domini 1740. | By J. Smith, V. D. M. | [Eight lines of quotation] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin. | M,DCC,XL.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-24. 3:3 x 5:7.
Hildeburn 654.

Whitefield was the itinerant whirlwind preacher of his day. He came to Philadelphia from London in 1739. He at first preached in the churches, but giving offense to the clergy, he was soon excluded. He then preached in the fields, but as this was inconvenient, a temporary building, 100 x 70 feet, was put up for him on Society Hill near Second and Pine Streets.

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He drew immense audiences, and caused a great religious revival, and as Franklin says "one could not walk thro' the town in an evening without hearing psalms sung in different families of every street."

Josiah Smith, the author of this sermon, was a Presbyterian clergyman, born in Charleston in 1704, died in Philadelphia in 1781.

Harvard College granted him a degree in 1725, this being, as far as is known, the first degree obtained from any college by a native of South Carolina. In 1740 he espoused the cause of Whitefield. He was an earnest patriot and when Charleston was captured by the British he was carried to Philadelphia where he died in captivity.

WHITEFIELD (GEORGE)

A | Continuation | Of the Reverend | Mr. Whitefield's | Journal |
From | A few Days after his Arrival at | Georgia, | To | His second
Return thither from | Pennsylvania. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, in | Market-Street. 1740.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-94, (2). 2:7 x 4:9.

Hildeburn 671.

This is a continuation of Vol. II. See Hildeburn 612, 670, and for a further continuation, 737.

WHITEFIELD (GEORGE)

Sermons | On | Various Subjects. | In Two Volumes. | Vol. I. |
Containing, | I. On Regeneration. | II. Of Justification by Christ. |
III. On Early Piety. | IV. The Almost Christian, | V. The Extent
and Reasonableness of Self- | Denial. | VI. The Necessity and Bene-
fits of Religious | Society. | VII. Intercession every Christian's Duty. |
VIII. The great Duty of Family Religion. | IX. The Heinous Sin
of profane Cursing | and Swearing. | X. Thankfulness for Mercies
received, a necessary | Duty. | XI. The Eternity of Hell-Torments. |
XII. Directions how to hear Sermons. | By George Whitefield,
A. B. | Of Pembroke College, Oxford. | Philadelphia: | Printed
and Sold by B. Franklin, in | Market-street, 1740.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 1-223. 2:6 x 4:9.

Hildeburn 679.

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WHITEFIELD (GEORGE)

Sermons | On | Various Subjects. | Vol. II. | Containing, | I. Worldly Business no Plea for the Neglect of | Religion. | II. The Marks of the New-Birth. | III. The Power of Christ's Resurrection. | IV. The Duty of Searching the Scriptures. | V. Satan's Devices. | VI. The Knowledge of Jesus Christ the best | Knowledge. | VII. The heinous Sin of Drunkenness. | VIII. The Indwelling of the Spirit, the common | Privilege of all Believers. | IX. The wise and foolish Virgins. | X. What think ye of Christ? | To which are added, | Several Prayers. | By George Whitefield, A. B. | Of Pembroke College, Oxford. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, in | Market-street, 1740.

1740

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 1-224. 2:6 x 4:6.

Hildeburn 679.

Whitefield had a loud and clear voice and Franklin estimated that he could be heard by 30,000 people at one time. "His writing and printing gave great advantage to his enemies. Critics attack'd his writings violently. . . . I am of opinion if he had never written and printed anything, he would have left behind him a much more numerous and important sect, and his reputation might have been still growing, even after his death. I was intimately acquainted with him and am to this day decidedly of opinion that he was in all his conduct a perfectly *honest man*."

Between 1739 and 1742, twenty-nine title pages bear Whitefield's name as author; of these Franklin printed fifteen.

WHITEFIELD (GEORGE)

Three | Letters | From The Reverend | Mr. G. Whitefield: | Viz. | Letter I. To a Friend in London, concerning | Archbishop Tillotson. | Letter II. To the same, on the same Subject. | Letter III. To the Inhabitants of Maryland, | Virginia, North and South-Carolina, concerning | their Negroes. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at | the New Printing-Office near the Market. | M,DCC,XL.

Title, 1 page; letters, 2-16. 3:8 x 6:2.

Hildeburn 680.

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1741 THE | CHARTERS | Of The | Province of Pensilvania | And | City
of Philadelphia. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold
by B. Franklin. | M DCC XLI.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-30. 4:9 x 8:10.

Unknown to Hildeburn or to Tower. From the Dr. Purple collection.

THE | CHARTER | OF | PRIVILEGES, | Granted by | William
Penn, Esq; | To The | Inhabitants of Pensilvania | and Terri-
tories. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Frank-
lin. | M DCC XLI.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-8. 4:10 x 8:12.

Hildeburn 694. Tower 109. Usually bound with the *Laws of the Gov-
ernment of New-Castle, Kent and Sussex*, published the same year.

LAWS | OF THE | GOVERNMENT | Of | New-Castle, Kent and
Sussex | Upon Delaware. | Published by Order of the Assembly. |
[Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
New | Printing-Office, in Market-Street. | M,DCC,XLI.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-282; table, 1-3. 4:10 x 8:13.

Hildeburn 698. Tower 109.

Usually bound with the *Charter of Privileges* published the same year.

A | PROTESTATION | Presented To | The Synod, | Of | Philadel-
phia, | June 1. 1741. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: Printed and
sold | by B. Franklin. 1741.

Title, 1 p; introduction, pp 2-4; text, 5-16. 3:2 x 5:4.

Hildeburn 719. Signed by Rev. Robert Cross, Francis Alison, John
Elder and others.

POOR RICHARD, 1742. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1742, | Being the Second after Leap Year. | [Six lines of quota-
tion] | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment

THE
CHARTERS

OF THE
Province of PENNSILVANIA
AND
City of PHILADELPHIA.



PHILADELPHIA:
Printed and Sold by *B. FRANKLIN.*
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of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual As-
pects, Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time
of High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days. | Fitted to
the Latitude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West
from London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- |
jacent Places even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By
Richard Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B.
Franklin, at the New | Printing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.
Hildeburn 722.

THE | QUERISTS, | PART III. | Or, | An Extract of sundry
Passages | taken out of Mr. G. Tennent's | Sermon preached at
Nottingham, | of The Danger of an Unconverted | Ministry. |
Together With | Some Scruples propos'd in proper | Queries raised
on each Remark. | By the same Hands with the former. | [Five lines
of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin in Market-
Street. 1741.*

*The date was printed 1740 and corrected by impressing the figure 1 over
the 0, apparently by hand. The book was probably delayed in publication.
It is possible that copies may sometime be found with 1740 unaltered,
or with 1741 correctly printed.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-150. 3:3 x 5:8.

Hildeburn 720, without collation. The only known copy.

Part I was published in 1740. There is no record of Part II although
it probably was published.

TENNENT (GILBERT)

Remarks | Upon A | Protestation | Presented To | The Synod
Of | Philadelphia, | June 1. 1741. | By Gilbert Tennent, A. M. and
Minister | of the Gospel in New-Brunswick, New-Jersey. | [Three
lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by Benj.
Franklin, | 1741.

Second Title: The | Apology | Of The | Presbytery of New-
Brunswick, | For | Their Dissenting from Two Acts or New |

THE
QUERISTS,
PART III.

OR,

AN EXTRACT of sundry Passages
taken out of Mr. G. Tenney's
Sermon preached at *Nottingham*,
of *The Danger of an Unconverted*
Ministry.

TOGETHER WITH
Some **SCRUPLES** propos'd in proper
QUERIES rais'd on each Remark.

By the same Hands with the former.

*Acts 20. 30. Also of your own selves shall Men arise, speaking
perverse Things, to draw Disciples after them.*

Job. 14. 16. The Fool rageth and is confident.

----- *Errore sub illo*

Pro vitio virtus crimina saepe talit.

PHILADELPHIA:

Printed by B. FRANKLIN in *Market-Street.* 1748.

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Religious Laws, which were made | at the last Session of our Synod. |
Humbly offer'd to the Consideration of the Synod | now conven'd
at Philadelphia. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by Benj. Frank-
lin, | 1741.

Title, 1 page; preface, (1); 3-36; second title, 1 leaf; 39-68.

3:3 x 5:7.

Hildeburn 729.

Franklin imprints are usually B. Franklin. Here it is Benj.

Gilbert Tennent, born in County Armagh, Ireland, 1703, died in Phila-
delphia, 1764. He was licensed by the Philadelphia Presbytery in 1725 and
was made a Master of Arts by Yale University the same year. He was a
voluminous writer on religious subjects. He was intimate with Whitefield,
sometimes using the same pulpit. Franklin was his friend and was often
called upon for advice. When he was building a church and was debating
on whom to call for aid, Franklin told him to "call on everybody".

TENNENT (GILBERT)

A | Sermon | Upon | Justification: | Preached at New-Brunswick,
on the Saturday | before the Dispensing of the Holy Sacra- | ment,
which was the first Sabbath in August, | Anno 1740. | By Gilbert
Tennent, A. M. | And Minister of the Gospel in the Place aforesaid. |
[Two lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by
Benjamin Franklin, | in Market-Street. M,DCC,XLI.

Title, 1 leaf; text, 3-29; advertisements, (3). 3:2 x 5:4.

Hildeburn 730.

One of the few books with the imprint Benjamin Franklin. It is usually
B. Franklin.

WHITEFIELD (GEORGE)

A | Letter | From | The Reverend | Mr. George Whtiefield, |
To | The Reverend | Mr. John Wesley, | In Answer To His | Ser-
mon, | Entitled, | Free Grace. | [Three lines of quotation] | Philadel-
phia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLI.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-iv; text, 5-24. 3:3 x 5:10.

Hildeburn 739.

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AVTHENTISCHE | RELATION | Von dem | Anlass, Fortgang
und Schlusse | Der am 1sten und 2ten Januarii Anno 174½ | In
Germantown gehaltenen | Versammlung | Ejniger Arbeiter | Derer
meisten Christlichen Religionen | Und | Vieler vor sich selbst Gott-
dienenden Christen-Menschen | in Pennsylvania; | Aufgesetzt | In
Germantown am Abend des 2ten obigen Monats. | Philadelphia, |
Gedruckt and zu haben bey B. Franklin. [1742]

1742

Title, 1 leaf; 3-15; (1). 4:7 x 6:7.

AVTHENTISCHE | NACHRICHT | Von der | Verhandlung und
dem Verlass | Der am 14den und 15den Januarii Anno 174½ |
Im sogenannten Falckner-Schwamm | An Georg Hübners Hause
gehaltenen | Zweyten | Versammlung | Sowol | Einiger Teutschen
Arbeiter | Der Evangelischen Religionen | Als | Verschiedener ein-
zelnen treuen Gezeugen und | Gottsfürchtiger Nachbarn. | Nebst
einigen Beylagen. | Philadelphia, | Gedruckt und zu haben bey
B. Franklin. [1742]

Title, 1 leaf; 19-40. 4:7 x 6:10.

ZUVERLÄSSIGE | BESCHREIBUNG | Der Dritten | Conferenz |
Der Evangelischen Religionen | Teutscher Nation | In Penn-
sylvania, | Welche am 9. 10. und 11ten Februarii 174½ | In Oley an
Johann de Türcks Hause | gehalten worden; | Samt | Denen dieses
mahl verfassten | Gemein-Schlüssen. | Philadelphia, | Gedruckt und
zu haben bey B. Franklin. [1742]

Title, 1 page; extract, 1 page; 43-56. 4:7 x 6:8.

VIERTE | GENERAL- | VERSAMLUNG | Der | Kirche
Gottes | Aus allen Evangelischen Religionen | In Pennsylvania, |
Teutscher Nation; | Gehalten zu Germantown am 10. 11. und 12ten
Martii | im jahr 174½. | An Mr. Ashmeads Hause. | Philadelphia, |
Gedruckt und zu haben bey B. Franklin. [1742]

Title, 1 leaf; 59-76. 4:9 x 6:5.

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1742 GRÜNDLICHE | An-und aufforderung | An Die | Ehmahlig er-
weckte hier und dar zerstreute | Seelen dieses Landes, | In oder
ausser Partheyen, | Zur | Neuen Umfassung, | Gliedlicher Verein-
igung, | Und | Gebets-Gemeinschaft; | Dargelegt aus dringendem
Herzen eines um Heilung | der Brüche Zions ängstlich bekümmer-
ten Gemüths, | im jahr 1736. | Philadelphia, | Gedruckt und zu haben
bey B. Franklin, | M DCC XLII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-14. The paging is corrected in the errata on the last
page. It should be 79-90 instead of 3-14. 4:10 x 6:5.

Reprinted in Fresenius's *Nachrichten*, Vol. III, p 351.

EXTRACT | Aus | Unsers Conferenz-Schreibers | Johann Jacob
Müllers | Geführten Protocoll | Bey der | Fünften Versamm-
lung | Der | Gemeine Gottes im Geist, | Gehalten in Germantown
1742. den 6ten April und folgende Tage: | Nebst einer Vorrede an
die ehrwürdige Conferenz aller | Arbeiter bey der Kirche Jesu
Christi in Pennsylvania. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia, | Gedruckt
und zu haben bey B. Franklin. [1742]

Title, 1 leaf; 93-102. 4:7 x 6:7.

EXTRACT | Aus Des | Conferenz-Schreibers | Johann Jacob
Müllers | Registratur | Von Der | Sechsten Versammlung | Der |
Evangelischen Arbeiter | in Pennsylvania. | Und | Der Gemeine
Gottes im Geist | Siebender | General-Synodus | Zu Philadelphia
am 2. und 3ten Junii 1742. st. v. | [Ornament] | Daselbst gedruckt
und zu haben bey B. Franklin. [1742]

Title, 1 leaf; 105-120. 4:7 x 6:11.

Hildeburn 747.

The above seven items are known as "The Moravian Tracts."

BECHTELN (JOHANNES)

Kurzer | Catechismus | Vor etliche | Gemeinen Jesu | Aus der |
Reformirten Religion | In Pennsylvania, | Die sich zum alten Ber-
ner Synodo halten: | Herausgegeben von | Johannes Bechteln, |

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Diener des Worts Gottes. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia, | Gedruckt
bey Benjamin Franklin, 1742.

Title, 1 page; (1); 3-42. 2:7 x 4:7.

Hildeburn 750.

1742

One of the few books with the imprint Benjamin Franklin. It is usually
B. Franklin.

BLAIR (SAMUEL)

The | Doctrine | Of | Predestination | Truly and Fairly stated: |
Confirmed from clear Scripture-Evidence, and | Defended against
all the material Arguments | and Objections advanced against it. |
By Samuel Blair, late Minister of the Gospel at | Shrewsbury in
New-Jersey, now at London-derry | in Pennsylvania. | [Small Orna-
ment] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin for the Author. |
M,DCC,XLII.

Title, 1 page; preface, 2-4; text, 5-79; adv., 1 page. 3:3 x 5:9.

Hildeburn 753. The spelling varies from Hildeburn. The second line
is *Doctrine*, not *Doctrines*. In the fifth line the *and* is & in Hildeburn.

Samuel Blair (1712-1751) was an Irish Presbyterian. He came to this
country while very young. He was licensed to preach in 1733. He became
prominent in the Presbyterian Church and established a Seminary at Lon-
donderry, Chester County, Pa. Rev. Samuel Davies was one of his pupils.

THE | CHARTERS | Of The | Province of Pensilvania | And |
City of Philadelphia. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and
Sold by B. Franklin. | M DDC XLII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-30. 4:9 x 8:10.

Hildeburn 755. Tower 670.

Printed to accompany the *Compilation of Laws* published the same year,
and usually found at the beginning of the volume.

CHEW (SAMUEL)

The | Speech | Of | Samuel Chew, Esq; | Chief Justice of the
Government of New- | Castle, Kent and Sussex upon | Delaware: |

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Delivered from the Bench to the | Grand-Jury of the County
of | New-Castle, Aug. 20. 1742; and now pub- | lished at their
Request. | [Small Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by
B. Franklin, | M,DCC,XLII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-16. 3:9 x 6:11.

Hildeburn 756.

Samuel Chew was born in Maryland about 1690. He died in 1744.
He joined the Quakers, studied medicine, and afterwards law. He became
a judge and chief justice.

Chew was influential among the Quakers but he estranged many of
them by his address to the New Castle Grand Jury advocating resistance
to an armed enemy.

A | COLLECTION | Of All The | Laws | Of the Province of |
Pennsylvania: | Now in Force. | Published by Order of Assem-
bly. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin. |
M,DCC,XLII.

Second Title: An | Appendix; | Containing A | Summary | Of
Such | Acts of Assembly | As have been formerly in Force | within
this Province, | For Regulating of Descents, | And Transferring the
Property of | Lands, &c. | But since expired, altered or repealed. |
[Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin. M,DCC,-
XLII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-562; appendix, title, 1 leaf; advertisement, iii-iv;
appendix, 1-24; table, i-xi. 4:10 x 8:11.

Hildeburn 757. Tower 670.

Usually bound with the *Charters* published the same year.

A LETTER from a Gentleman in Philadelphia to | his Friend in
the Country. | Philadelphia, September 18. 1742. | Sir, | I Re-
ceived yours; [etc. etc.] [Philadelphia: B. Franklin, 1742]

Broadside of two numbered pages, 6:4 x 11:2; signed at end, "Your
sincere Friend and humble Servant". It relates to the tenure of office of the
trustees of the General Loan Office.

Hildeburn 769.

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LETZTE | PRIVAT-ERKLÄRUNG | Für | Pennsylvania, | Über |
 Jemands Bericht, | Der sich nicht nur | Über eine unter
 seinem Namen, ohne sein Wissen und | Willen, und noch dazu
 Unganz gedruckte | Schrift | beschweret; | Sondern auch | Über die
 Gemeine des Herrn | das Urtheil spricht. | [Small Ornament] |
 Philadelphia, | Gedruckt bey Benjamin Franklin, M DCC XLII.

1742

Title, 1 leaf; 3-12. 4:7 x 6:10.

Hildeburn 770.

One of the few books with the imprint Benjamin Franklin. It is usually B. Franklin.

NEISSER (GEORG)

Aufrichtige | Nachricht | Ans | Publicum, | Über eine | Von dem
 Holländischen Pfarrer Joh. Phil. Böhmen | bei Mr. Andr. Bradford
 edirte | Lästerschrift | Gegen | Die so genannten Herrnhuter, | Das
 ist, | Die Evangelischen Brüder aus Böhmen, Mähren, u. s. f. |
 Welche | Jetzo in den Forks von Delaware wohnen. | Herausge-
 geben von | Georg Neisser, aus Sehlen in Mähren, | Schulmeister zu
 Bethlehem. | Cum Approbatione Superiorum. | Philadelphia, |
 Gedruckt und zu haben bei B. Franklin. M DCC XLII.

Title, 1 page; (1); 3-18. 4:7 x 6:11.

Hildeburn 773.

Reprinted in Fresenius's *Nachrichten* where it is attributed to Zinzen-
 dorf "unter Neissers Namen".

George Neisser (1715-1784) was born in Moravia. He came to this
 country in 1735, settling in Georgia. He came to Pennsylvania in 1737.
 In 1742 he was a schoolmaster in Bethlehem. In 1748 he was ordained and
 he entered the service of the Moravian Church.

POOR RICHARD, 1743. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
 1743, | Being the Third after Leap Year. | [Six lines of quota-
 tion] | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment
 of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects,
 Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of

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High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the adjacent Places, even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin, at the New | Printing-Office near the Market.

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.
Hildeburn 781.

[ZINZENDORF (COUNT)]

Ludovici a Thürenstein | In Antiquissima Fratrum Ecclesia | Ad táxin kai euschemosynen | Diaconi Constituti, | Et h. t. | Ecclesiæ, Qvæ Christo Philadelphix | Inter Lutheranos Colligitur, | Pastoris, | Ad Cogitatus Ingenuos | Pium Desiderium, | h. e. | Epistola | Ad Bonos Pensilvaniæ Cives | Christo Non Inimicos, | Ob | Conversationis difficultatem taliter qualiter | Latino Idiomate conscripta, | Et dexteritati cordati interpretis, duce providentia, | pie concredita. | Philadelphix, Ex Officina Frankliniana. [1742]

Title, 1 leaf; text, 3-8. 4:2 x 6:6.
Hildeburn 796.

Nicholas Lewis, Count of Zinzendorf, born in Dresden in 1700, died in Hernnhut, Germany, in 1760. He was educated at Halle and Wittenburg. He became a Moravian in 1736. Wesley got his organization and missionary plans from him. He gave the name of Bethlehem to the missionary settlement on the Lehigh. His great activity in Pennsylvania was during the year 1742. He conducted the deliberations of seven different convocations and also preached in the Lutheran and Reformed churches. He wrote many controversial papers. He returned to Europe in 1743.

[ZINZENDORF (COUNT)]

Etliche | Zu dieser Zeit nicht unnütze | Fragen | Über Einige | Schrift-Stellen, | Welche | Von den Liebhabern der lautern Wahrheit | Deutlich erörtert zu werden gewünscht hat | Ein | Wahrheit-forschender in America, | im jahr 1742: | So deutlich und einfältig

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erörtert als es ihm möglich gewesen ist; und | in folgender klaren
und bequemen Form herausgegeben | Von einem | Knecht Jesu
Christi. | Philadelphia, | Gedruckt und zu haben bey B. Franklin.
[1742]

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Title, 1 page; (1), 3-14. 4:7 x 6:7.

Hildeburn 797. Reprinted in Fresenius's *Nachrichten*, Vol. III, p 329.

[ZINZENDORF (COUNT)]

The | Remarks, | Which | The Author of the | Compendious
Extract, &c. | In the Preface to his Book, | Has friendly desired of |
The Rev. of Thurenstein, | For the Time Pastor of the Lutheran
Congregation | of J. C. in Philadelphia. | Our Lord Jesus Christ, in
whom | we, as also all Saints from the Begin- | ning, believe, is that
only Man, whom | the Devil hates. Luther. | Philadelphia: | Printed
and Sold by B. Franklin, | M,DCC,XLII.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, 3-4; remarks, 5-22; advertisement, 23-24.

3 x 5:9.

Hildeburn 799.

1743

A | CONFESSION | OF | FAITH, | Put forth by the | Elders and
Brethren | Of many | Congregations | Of | Christians | (Baptized
upon Profession of their Faith) | In London and the Country. |
Adopted by the Baptist Association | met at Philadelphia, Sept. 25.
1742. | The Sixth Edition. | To which are added, | Two Articles viz.
Of Imposition of Hands, | and Singing of Psalms in Publick Wor-
ship. | Also | A Short Treatise of Church Discipline. | [Three lines of
quotation] | Philadelphia: Printed by B. Franklin. | M,DCC,XLIII.

Second Title: A Short | Treatise | Of | Church-Discipline. |
[Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, 1743.

Title, 1 page; (1); To the reader, iii-viii; text, 9-112; contents, (2);
second title, 1 leaf; To all those, iii-vi; text, 7-62. 2:13 x 5.

Hildeburn 811.

The *Short Treatise* was written by Rev. Benjamin Griffith.

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1743

EXTRACTS | From The | Minutes and Votes | Of the House of
Assembly of | the Colony of New-Jersey; met in | General
Assembly at Burlington, on Satur- | day the 16th of October 1742.
Printed by | Benjamin Franklin, by Order of Andrew | Johnston, Esq;
their Speaker. | To Which Are Added | Some Notes and Observa-
tions | Upon the said Votes. | Also The | Governor's Speech | To the
Assembly on his Dissolving | of them; and the Letters and Orders |
mentioned and referred to in the Governor's | Speech. | Printed in
the Year M,DCC,XLIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-56. 3:10 x 6.

Hildeburn 816. The Pollock copy, sold October 29th, 1895, and resold
in the Weeks sale, March 5th, 1902.

THE NOTE-MAKER NOTED, and the | Observer observed
upon; | Or, | A Full | Answer | To Some | Notes and Observa-
tions | Upon the Votes of the House | of Assembly of the Colony
of | New-Jersey; | Met in General Assembly at Burlington, on |
Saturday the 16th of October 1742. | Being | A Vindication of the |
present, and some former Governors, | Councils and Assemblies of
the said | Colony, against the unreasonable Cavils | of the said
Observer or Note-maker. | By a Lover of True English Liberty. |
Printed in the Year M,DCC,XLIII.

Title, 1 leaf; text, 3-31. 3:8 x 6:2.

Hildeburn 841. The Pollock copy, sold October 29th, 1895, and resold
in the Weeks sale, March 5th, 1902.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1744. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Phila-
delphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin. | Signs, Planets, and
Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). Printed throughout in black and red. 1:11 x 3:11.

Hildeburn 846.

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POOR RICHARD, 1744. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
 1744, | It being Leap-Year, | [Six lines of quotation] |
 Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of | the
 Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects, Sun
 and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of
 High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days. | Fitted to the Lati-
 tude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West from
 London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- | jacent
 Places, even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By Richard
 Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin.

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pp (24). 2:14 x 5:10.

This edition differs from Hildeburn 847, in the imprint. It is not for sale also by Jonas Greene. Hildeburn does not mention it.

THE | TREATY | Held With The | Indians | Of The | Six Nations, |
 At | Philadelphia, | In July, 1742. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
 Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New-Printing- | Office,
 near the Market. M,DCC,XLIII.

Title, 1 leaf; pp 3-25. Signed at the end "A just Copy, compared by Patrick Baird, Secry". 5:6 x 9:12.

Hildeburn 852.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Repre-
 sentatives | Of The | Province of Pensilvania. | Met at Phiada-
 delphia, on the Fourteenth of October, | Anno Dom. 1742, and
 continued by Adjournments. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed
 and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New Printing- | Office, near the
 Market. M,DCC,XLIII.

Appendix; | Containing The | Examinations & Depositions |
 Taken in the House, on the Affair | Of the | Riot.

Title, 1 leaf; Votes, October 14, 3-19; Votes, Eleventh Month, 3,
 21-50; Votes, Third Month, 2, 51-52; Votes, Sixth Month, 1, 53-72;
 Incidental Charges, 73; Appendix, 75-114. 5:5 x 9:12.

Hildeburn 853. His record does not include the appendix, 75-114.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
 & Hiberniae | Decimo Septimo. | At a General Assembly of the
 Province of | Pennsylvania, begun and holden at Phi- | ladelphia,
 the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1743, in the Seven-
 teenth Year of the Reign of our So- | vereign Lord George II. by
 the Grace of God, | of Great-Britain, France, and Ireland, King, |
 Defender of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjourn-
 ments to | the Seventh of May, 1744. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
 Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at | the New-Printing-Office, near
 the Market. | M,DCC,XLIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-22. 4:9 x 8:12.
 Tower 672. Hildeburn 861.

A | CATALOGUE | Of | Choice and Valuable | Books, | Consist-
 ing Of | Near 600 Volumes, in most Faculties | and Sciences,
 viz. | Divinity, History, Law, Ma- | thematics, Philosophy, Phy- |
 sic, Poetry, &c. | Which will begin | To Be Sold for Ready Money
 only, by Benj. | Franklin, at the Post-Office in Philadelphia, | on
 Wednesday, the 11th of April 1744. at Nine | a Clock in the Morn-
 ing; And, for Dispatch, the | lowest Price is mark'd in each Book. |
 The Sale to continue Three Weeks, and no longer; | and what then
 remains will be sold at an advanced | Price. | Those Persons that
 live remote, by sending their | Orders and Money to said B. Frank-
 lin, may | depend on the same Justice as if present.

Title, 1 leaf; catalogue, 3-16. 2:12 x 5.

Hildeburn 867, with imperfect title. This is the McKee copy and prob-
 ably the Brinley copy. The Brinley copy brought \$60.00 in 1880. The
 McKee copy, \$345.00 in 1902. Franklin distributed it gratis.

M. T. CICERO'S | CATO MAJOR, | Or His | Discourse | Of |
 Old-Age: | With Explanatory Notes. | [Ornament] | Philadel-
 phia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, | MDCCXLIV.

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Title, 1 leaf; iii-viii; 1-159. Rubricated title. 3:10 x 6:10.
Hildeburn 868.

First impression with the word "ony" in line five on page 27. The error was corrected after a few copies had been run.

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This is considered the handsomest product of Franklin's Press. The translation was made by Chief Justice James Logan, of Philadelphia. Franklin refers to it as the first translation of a classic made in the Western world; but Sandys's *Ovid*, Cato's *Moral Distichs* and the *Morals of Epictetus* were earlier.

It is sometimes wrongly attributed to Franklin.

This edition was reprinted, London, 1750; Glasgow, 1751; Philadelphia (W. Dunlap), 1758; Glasgow, 1758; London, 1778; and Philadelphia (W. Duane), n.d. [about 1812].

M. T. CICERO'S | CATO MAJOR, | Or His | Discourse | Of |
Old-Age: | With Explanatory Notes. | [Ornament] | Philadel-
phia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, | MDCCXLIV.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-viii; 1-159. Rubricated title. 3:10 x 6:10.
Hildeburn 868.

Second impression: After a few copies were printed a mistake was discovered in line five on page 27. The word "only" was printed "ony." This copy has the word spelled correctly.

ESTAUGH (JOHN)

A | Call | To The | Unfaithful Professors | Of | Truth. | Written
By | John Estaugh | In his Life-time; and now Published | for Gen-
eral Service. | To Which Is Added | Divers Epistles | Of the same
Author. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin. | M,DCC,XLIV.

Title, 1 leaf; testimony, iii-xviii; call, 19-119. 2:12 x 5:1.
Hildeburn 876.

John Estaugh, an English minister, married Elizabeth Haddon in 1702 in Haddonfield, N. J. He died in the Island of Tortola in 1742. Longfellow's "Tale of Elizabeth" in his *Wayside Inn* is the story of this marriage.

It is recorded in the Minutes of the Friends' Meeting of Haddonfield that 200 copies of Estaugh's *Call* were printed. It was reprinted in London the following year.

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MORRIS (LEWIS)

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The | Speeches | Of His Excellency | Lewis Morris, Esq; | Governor of New-Jersey, &c. | To the House Of Assembly of the said Province, | met in General Assembly at Burlington, on | the 22d of June, 1744. | With | The Assembly's Address and Message | to His Excellency. | To Which Is Added, | An Abstract of the Bill, entitled, An Act for | Settling and better Regulation of the Militia of | the Province of New-Jersey, and for making | Provision in Cases of Insurrection, Rebellion or | Invasion; as sent down from the Council to | the House of Assembly, upon the 30th of | June. | And | Some Observations from the | Votes of the Assembly. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, 1744.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-36. 3:9 x 6.

Hildeburn 886. This is the Pollock copy, sold October 29th, 1895, and resold in the Weeks sale, March 5th, 1902.

Lewis Morris was born in New York in 1671, and died in Kingsbury, New Jersey, in 1746. He was governor of New Jersey from 1738 until 1746. He had previously held many important offices: judge of the Superior Court of New Jersey in 1692, member of the New Jersey Council, and chief justice of New York and of New Jersey.

A | POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1745. | Fitted to the Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. | With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin. | Signs, Planets, and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:11 x 3:11.

Hildeburn 897.

Printed throughout in black and red.

A | TREATY, | Held at the Town of | Lancaster, in Pennsylvania, | By the Honourable the | Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, | And the Honourable the | Commissioners for the Provinces | Of | Virginia and Maryland, | With The | Indians | Of The | Six Nations, | In

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June, 1744. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
New-Printing-Office, | near the Market. M,DCC,XLIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-39. 5:9 x 9:13.

Hildeburn 907.

Winsor, Vol. 5, p 566, says that Cadwalader Colden is the author.

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[ARMSTRONG (JOHN)]

The | Art | Of Preserving | Health: | A | Poem. | [Ornament] |
London, Printed: | Philadelphia, Re-printed, and Sold by | B. Frank-
lin. M.DCC.XLV.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-88. 3:11 x 6:9.

Hildeburn 913.

John Armstrong, M. D., born 1709, died 1779. He was educated at the University of Edinburgh. *The Art of Preserving Health* is his best work. It was first published in 1744.

[CADWALADER (THOMAS)]

An | Essay | On the West-India | Dry-Gripes; | With The |
Method of Preventing and Curing | That | Cruel Distemper. | To
which is added, | An Extraordinary Case in Physick. | Philadel-
phia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin. | M.DCC.XLV.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-v; text, 1-42. 3:10 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 922.

There is a suppressed "Preface," pp iii-vi, owned by the Philadelphia College of Physicians, which owns also the original MS.

Dr. Thomas Cadwalader, of Philadelphia, born 1708, died 1779. He was the first teacher of practical anatomy in America, and was one of the founders of the Pennsylvania Hospital. The West India "dry gripes" was a local climatic disease closely resembling lead colic.

THE | CONFESSION OF FAITH, | The Larger and Shorter |
Catechisms, | With The | Scripture Proofs at Large. | Together
with | The Sum of Saving Knowledge (contain'd in | the Holy

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Scriptures, and held forth in the said Con- | fession and Catechisms)
and Practical Use there- | of; Covenants National and Solemn |
League, Acknowledgement of Sins and | Engagement to Duties,
Directories, | Form of Church-Government, &c. | Of Publick-
Authority in the | Church of Scotland. | With | Acts of Assembly
and Parliament, rela- | tive to, and approbative of the same. | [Five
lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin. |
M.DCC.XLV.

Title, 1 page; contents, (1); To the Christian Reader, 3-13; An Ordi-
nance, &c., 14-20. 3:3 x 6:4.

Hildeburn 924—first title.

THE | CONFESSIO OF FAITH, | Agreed upon by the | Assembly
of Divines | At | Westminster, | With the Assistance of | Com-
missioners | From The | Church of Scotland, | As | A Part of the
Covenanted Uniformity in Religion be- | twixt the Churches of
Christ in the Kingdoms of | Scotland, England, and Ireland. | Ap-
proved by the General Assembly 1647, and Ratified | and Estab-
lished by Act of Parliament 1649, as the | Publick and Avowed
Confession of the | Church of Scotland. | With the Scripture-
Proofs at large. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin. |
M.DCC.XLV.

Title, 1 page; contents, (1); text, 23-164. 3:6 x 6:5.

Hildeburn 924—second title.

THE | LARGER CATECHISM, | Agreed upon by the | Assembly
of Divines | At | Westminster, | With the Assistance of | Com-
missioners | From The | Church of Scotland, | As | A Part of the
Covenanted Uniformity in Religion | betwixt the Churches of
Christ in the Kingdoms | of Scotland, England and Ireland. | And |
Approved Anno 1648, by the General Assembly | of the Church
of Scotland, to be a Direc- | tory for Catechising such as have made
some Pro- | ficiency in the Knowledge of the Grounds of Re- |
ligion. | With the Proofs from the Scripture. | Philadelphia: | Printed
by B. Franklin, in Market-Street, | M,DCC,XLV.

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Title, 1 page; act, p 166; text, 167-366. 3:5 x 6:3.
Hildeburn 924—third title.

THE | SHORTER CATECHISM, | Agreed upon by the | Assem-
bly of Divines | At | Westminster, | With the Assistance of |
Commissioners | From the | Church of Scotland, | As | A Part of
the Covenanted Uniformity in Reli- | gion betwixt the Churches
of Christ in the | Kingdoms of Scotland, England and Ireland. |
And | Approved Anno 1648, by the General Assem- | bly of the
Church of Scotland, to be a Di- | rectory for Catechising such as
are of weaker Ca- | pacity. | With the Proofs from the Scripture. |
Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLV.

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Title, 1 page; act, 1 page; 369-410. 3:5 x 6:1.
Hildeburn 924—fourth title.

THE | SUM | OF | SAVING KNOWLEDGE; | Or, a brief Sum
of | Christian Doctrine, | Contained in the | Holy Scriptures, | And
holden forth in the foresaid | Confession of Faith and Catechisms: |
Together with | The Practical Use thereof. | [Three lines of quota-
tion] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLV.

Title, 1 page; contents, 1 page; 413-446. 3:4 x 6:1.
Hildeburn 924—fifth title.

THE | CONFESSION OF FAITH | Of The | Kirk of Scotland; |
Or, The | National Covenant. | With | A Designation of such
Acts of Parliament, as | are expedient for Justifying the Union
af- | ter-mentioned. | [Ten lines of quotation] | [Small Ornament] |
Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLV.

Title, 1 leaf; text, 449-462. 3:5 x 6:5.
Hildeburn 924—sixth title.

THE | SOLEMN LEAGUE | And | Covenant | For | Reformation
and Defence of Reli- | gion, the Honour and Happiness of |
the King, and the Peace and Safety of | the Three Kingdoms of
Scotland, Eng- | land, and Ireland. | Taken and Subscribed several

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Times by King | Charles II. and by all Ranks in the said | Three Kingdoms. | With | An Act of the General Assembly, 1643, and an Act | of Parliament 1644, Ratifying and Approving the | said League and Covenant. | [Eight lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLV.

Title, 1 leaf; 465-470. 3:5 x 6:4.
Hildeburn 924—seventh title.

A | SOLEMN ACKNOWLEDGMENT | Of | Publick Sins, | And | Breaches of the Covenant; | And A | Solemn Engagement | To all the | Duties contained therein, | Namely, | Those, which do in a more special Way relate | unto the Dangers of these Times. | Together with | The Act of the Commission of the General | Assembly 1648, and Act of Parliament 1649, | for Renewing the League and Covenant. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLV.

Title, 1 page; acts, 472-473; text, 474-482. 3:6 x 6:3.
Hildeburn 924—eighth title.

THE | DIRECTORY | For The | Publick Worship of God, | Agreed upon by the | Assembly of Divines | At | Westminster, | With the Assistance of | Commissioners | From The | Church of Scotland, | As | A Part of the Covenanted Uniformity in Reli- | gion betwixt the Churches of Christ in the | Kingdoms of Scotland, England and Ireland. | With | An Act of the General Assembly, and Act of Parliament, both in Anno 1645, Approving and Establish- | ing the said Directory. | [Two lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, M,DCC,XLV.

Title, 1 page; text, 484-521. 3:6 x 6:5.
Hildeburn 924—ninth title.

THE | FORM | OF PRESBYTERIAL | Church-Government, | And Of | Ordination of Ministers; | Agreed upon by the | Assembly of Divines | At | Westminster, | With the Assistance of | Commissioners | From The | Church of Scotland, | As a Part of the Covenanted Uniformity in Reli- | gion betwixt the Churches of

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Christ in the | Kingdoms of Scotland, England and Ireland. | With |
An Act of the General Assembly, Anno 1645, Approv- | ing the
same. | [Five lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Frank-
lin, M,DCC,XLV.

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Title, 1 leaf; 525-557. 3:6 x 6:5.

Hildeburn 924—tenth title.

THE | DIRECTORY | For | Family-Worship, | Approved by the |
General Assembly | Of The | Church of Scotland, | For | Piety
and Uniformity in Secret and | Private Worship, and mutual Edi- |
fication. | With | An Act of the General Assembly, Anno 1647, | for
Observing the same. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin,
M,DCC,XLV.

Title, 1 page; text, 560-567; table, (23). 3:5 x 6:4.

Hildeburn 924—eleventh title.

POOR RICHARD, 1746. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1746, | It being the Second after | Leap-Year, | [Six lines of quota-
tion] | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment
of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual As-
pects, Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time
of High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days. | Fitted to
the Latitude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West
from London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- |
jacent Places, even from Newfoundland to South | Carolina. | By
Richard Saunders, Philom | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B.
Franklin

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:11.

Hildeburn 948.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Representa-
tives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania. | Met at Philadelphia,
on the Fifteenth of October, | Anno Dom. 1744, and continued by

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Adjournments. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by
B. Franklin, at the New Printing- | Office near the Market.
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Title, 1 leaf; Votes, October 15, 3-9; At A Council, The Twenty First
of August, 11-16; Votes, 11th Mo. 7, 17-19; Votes, 12th Mo. 25, 21-24;
Votes, 2d Mon. 22, 25-30; Votes, 4th Mon. 3, 31-34; Votes, 5th Mo. 22,
35-39; Votes, 6th Mon. 19, 41-47; Votes, Sept. 4, 49-53; Incidental
Charges, p 54. 5:8 x 9:11.

Differs from Hildeburn 957, which was taken from a title page, and is
probably incorrect.

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AN | ACCOUNT | Of The | Treaty | Held at the City of | Albany,
in the Province of New-York, | By His Excellency the | Gov-
ernor of that Province, | And the Honourable the | Commissioners
for the Provinces | Of | Massachusetts, Connecticut, | And | Pennsylv-
ania, | With The | Indians | Of The | Six Nations, | In October, 1745. |
Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, at the New-Printing-Office, |
near the Market, M,DCC,XLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-20. 5:8 x 9:11.
Hildeburn 959.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
& Hiberniae, | Decimo Octavo. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of | Pennsylvania, begun and holden at Phi- | ladelphia, the
Fifteenth Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1744, in the Eighteenth
Year of the Reign of our So- | vereign Lord George the II. by the
Grace of God, | of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, De- |
fender of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjourn-
ments. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin,
at | the New Printing-Office, near the Market, | M,DCC,XLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; xxv-xxvi. 4:9 x 8:11.
Tower 673. Hildeburn 962.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
 & Hiberniae | Decimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the
 Province of | Pennsylvania, begun and holden at Phi- | ladelphia, the
 Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1745, in the Nineteenth
 Year of the Reign of our So- | vereign Lord George the II. by the
 Grace of God, | of Great Britain, France and Ireland, King, |
 Defender of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
 Adjournments to | the Seventh Day of March, 1745. | [Penn Arms] |
 Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at | the New-
 Printing-Office, near the Market. | M,D,CC,XLVI.

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Title, 1 leaf; 25-59. 4:9 x 8:10.
 Tower 674. Hildeburn 963.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae,
 & Hiberniae, | Decimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the
 Province of | Pennsylvania, begun and holden at Phi- | ladelphia, the
 Fourteenth Day of October, Anno. Dom. | 1745, in the Nineteenth
 Year of the Reign of our | Sovereign Lord, George the II. by the
 Grace of | God, of Great Britain, France and Ireland, King, | De-
 fender of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjourn-
 ments | to the Ninth Day of June, 1746. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
 Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New | Printing-Office, near
 the Market, | M,DCC,XLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; 61-69. 4:8 x 8:12.
 Tower 675. Hildeburn 963.

AN | EPISTLE | From Our | Yearly-Meeting, | Held at Burlington,
 for New-Jersey and Pennsylvania, | by Adjournment, from the
 20th Day of the Seventh | Month, to the 23d Day of the same,
 inclusive, 1746. | To the several Quarterly and Monthly Meetings
 of | Friends belonging to our said Yearly-Meeting. | Dearly Beloved
 Friends and Brethren, | We Salute you [etc., etc.] [Philadelphia: B.
 Franklin, 1746]

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pp 4. Broadside. 6 (6:12 with side notes) x 12:4.
Hildeburn 974.

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A general exhortation to lead virtuous lives; against "bearing of Arms and Fighting"; against frequenting taverns and ale houses, "except when on necessary business"; and, finally, congratulating Great Britain for the delivery of the king from the danger of the Stuart outbreak of 1745.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1747 | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
• With several useful Additions. | By R Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin. | Signs, Planets, and Aspects. |
[Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:11 x 3:10.
Hildeburn 992.

POOR RICHARD, 1747. | An | Almanack | For the Year of Christ |
1747, | It being the Third after | Leap-Year, | [Six lines of quo-
tation] | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment
of | the Weather, Spring Tides, Planets Motions & | mutual Aspects,
Sun and Moon's Rising and Set- | ting, Length of Days, Time of
High Water, | Fairs, Courts, and observable Days | Fitted to the
Latitude of Forty Degrees, | and a Meridian of Five Hours West
from London, | but may without sensible Error, serve all the ad- |
jacent Places, even from Newfoundland to South- | Carolina. | By
Richard Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and sold by B.
Franklin.

pp (24). 2:14 x 5:9.
Hildeburn 993.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, the | Four-
teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1746, in the | Twentieth

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Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George II. by the Grace
of God, of Great-Bri- | tain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the | Third Day of May, 1747. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near
the Market. MDCCXLVII.

1747

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv. 4:11 x 9:2.
Tower 676. Hildeburn 1002.

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]

Plain Truth: | Or, Serious Considerations | On the Present State
of the | City of Philadelphia, | And | Province of Pennsylvania. | By
a Tradesman of Philadelphia. | [Sixteen lines of quotation] | Printed
in the Year MDCCXLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; text, 3-22; extract, (2). 3:8 x 6:8.
Hildeburn 1010.

The leaf after page 22 states that this is the second edition. Otherwise the edition is word for word like the first, including the title page, but the paper of the second edition is thicker and better than in the first.

"The . . . long continued endeavor of our Governor, Thomas, to prevail with our Quaker Assembly to pass a militia law . . . having proved abortive, I determined to try what might be done by a voluntary association of the people. To promote this, I first wrote and published a pamphlet, entitled *Plain Truth*, in which I stated our defenceless situation in strong lights. . . . The pamphlet had a sudden and surprising effect."—*Autobiography*.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS by the Surveyor General, to the |
Deputy Surveyors of the Eastern Division of New-Jersey. n. p.,
n. d. [Philadelphia: B. Franklin, 1747 (?)]

General instructions, 1-4; example, page 5; authorization by George II,
1 page. 6:7 x 10:14.

Unknown to Evans.

Attributed to Franklin's press, also to James Parker's press in New York.

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1747 GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS by the Surveyor General, to the Deputy Surveyors of the Western Division of New-Jersey. n. p., n. d. [Philadelphia: B. Franklin, 1747 (?)]

General instructions, 1-4; example, page 5; authorization by George II, 1 page. 6:7 x 10:14.

Unknown to Evans.

Attributed to Franklin's press, also to James Parker's press in New York.

LETTERS | Between | Theophilus and Eugenio, | On The | Moral Pravity of Man, | And The | Means of His Restoration. | Wrote in the East-Indies, | And now First Published from the Original Manuscript. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin. | MDCCXLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 1-64. 4:10 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 1019.

Not written by Franklin as has been supposed. There is a copy in the Bodleian Library printed in 1720.

MORGAN (ABEL)

Anti-Pædo-Rantism; | Or | Mr. Samuel Finley's | Charitable Plea for the Speechless | Examined and Refuted: | The Baptism of Believers | Maintain'd; | And | The Mode of it, by Immersion, | Vindicated. | By Abel Morgan, at Middletown, | in East-Jersey. | [Five lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, in Market-Street. | M,DCC,XLVII.

Second Title: An | Appendix | To the Foregoing Work; | Being | Remarks | On some Particulars in a late Pamphlet, | Entitled, | Divine Right of Infant-Baptism, &c. | Written by another Hand. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, | M,DCC,XLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-ix; 11-160; title to appendix, 1 leaf; 163-174; errata, 1 leaf. 3:4 x 5:14.

Hildeburn 1022. Abel Morgan (1713-1795) was born in Delaware. He was ordained as a Baptist minister in 1734. He was an ardent patriot during

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the Revolution and was at the Battle of Monmouth. He was pastor of the church at Middletown, N. J., and engaged in many discussions on the subject of baptism.

Samuel Finley (1715-1766) was an Irish Presbyterian who came to Philadelphia in 1734. He was licensed to preach in 1740. He became president of Princeton College in 1761.

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[POOR RICHARD]

Note, This Almanack us'd to contain but 24 Pages, and now has 36; yet the Price is very little advanc'd. | Poor Richard improved: | Being An | Almanack | And | Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and South-ing of the Moon, | For The | Bissextile Year, 1748. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses, Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets, Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:14.
Hildeburn 1037.

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A | BRIEF INSTRUCTION | In The | Principles | Of | Christian Religion, | Agreeable to the | Confession of Faith, put forth by the | Elders and Brethren of many Congregations | of Christians (Baptized upon Profession of their | Faith) in London, and in the Country. | To which is added, | The Proofs thereof, out of the Scriptures, in | Words at Length. | The Sixth Edition, Corrected. | [Four lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin and D. Hall, | MDCCXLVIII.

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Title, 1 page; advertisement (1); To the parents, etc., iii-iv; text, 5-46+.
3:5 x 5:9.
Not in Hildeburn.
Probably written by Abel Morgan.

CURRIE (WILLIAM)

A | Treatise | On the Lawfulness of | Defensive War. | In Two
Parts. | By William Currie. | [Fifteen lines of quotation] | Philadel-
phia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin and D. Hall, | at the New
Printing-Office, in Market-street. | MDCCXLVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-xviii; text, 1-102. 3:5 x 6:11.
Hildeburn 1055.

EVANS (DAVID)

Law and Gospel: | Or, | Man wholly Ruined by the Law, | And |
Recovered only by the Gospel. | Being | The Substance of some
Sermons preached at | Tredyffryn, in Pennsylvania, in the Year |
1734, and again at Piles-Grove, in New-- | Jersey, in the Year
1745. | By David Evans, A. M. and Minister of the Gospel, | formerly
at Tredyffryn, and now at Piles-Grove. | Published at the Impor-
tunity and Charges of a Number | of his People at the abovesaid
Piles-Grove. | [Five lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B.
Franklin and D. Hall, at the | New Printing-Office, near the Mar-
ket. 1748.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-52. 3:1 x 5:12.
Hildeburn 1060.

FISHER (GEORGE)

The American | Instructor: | Or, | Young Man's Best Companion. |
Containing, | Spelling, Reading, Writing and Arithmetick, | in an
easier Way than any yet published; and how to qua- | lify any Per-
son for Business, without the Help of a Master. | Instructions to
write Variety of Hands, with Copies | both in Prose and Verse.

A
BRIEF INSTRUCTION
IN THE
PRINCIPLES
OF
CHRISTIAN RELIGION,

Agreeable to the
CONFESSION of FAITH, put forth by the
ELDERS and BRETHREN of many Congregations
of *Christians* (Baptized upon Profession of their
Faith) in *London*, and in the Country.

To which is added,
The PROOFS thereof, out of the SCRIPTURES, in
Words at Length.

The SIXTH EDITION, Corrected.

Deut. vi. 6, 7. *And these Words which I command thee this
day shall be in thy Heart, and thou shalt teach them diligently
unto thy Children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in
thine House, &c.*

PHILADELPHIA:
Printed by B. FRANKLIN and D. HALL,
MDCCLXVIII.

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How to write Letters on Bu- | siness or Friendship. Forms of In-
dentures, Bonds, Bills | of Sale, Receipts, Wills, Leases, Releases,
&c. | Also Merchants Accompts, and a short and easy Me- | thod of
Shop and Book-keeping; with a Description of the several | Amer-
ican Colonies. | Together with the Carpenter's Plain and Exact Rule:
Shew- | ing how to measure Carpenters, Joyners, Sawyers, Brick-
layers, Plai- | sterers, Plumbers, Masons, Glasiers, and Painters Work.
How to | undertake each Work, and at what Price; the Rates of
each Com- | modity, and the common Wages of Journeymen; with
Gunter's Line, | and Coggeshal's Description of the Sliding-Rule. |
Likewise the Practical Gauger made Easy; the Art | of Dialling,
and how to erect and fix any Dial; with Instructions for | Dying,
Colouring, and making Colours. | To which is added, | The Poor
Planters Physician. | With Instructions for Marking on Linnen;
how to Pickle | and Preserve; to make divers Sorts of Wine; and
many excellent | Plaisters, and Medicines, necessary in all Families. |
And also | Prudent Advice to young Tradesmen and Dealers. | The
whole better adapted to these American Colonies, than | any other
Book of the like Kind. | By George Fisher, Accomptant. | The
Ninth Edition Revised and Corrected. | Philadelphia: Printed by
B. Franklin and | D. Hall, at the New-Printing-Office, in Market-
Street, 1748.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-v; 1-378; five plates. 3:2 x 5:13.

Hildeburn 1062.

Evans attributes the authorship to "Mrs. Slack." See his No. 6238.

[HUME (SOPHIA)]

An | Exhortation | To The | Inhabitants | Of the Province of |
South-Carolina, | To bring their Deeds to the Light of | Christ, in
their own Consciences. | By S. H. | In which is inserted, | Some
Account of the Author's Ex- | perience in the Important Business
of | Religion. | [Eight lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed
by B. Franklin and D. Hall. | MDCCXLVIII.

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Title, 1 leaf; 3-84; Divine Love, 85-86. 3:6 x 6:10.

Hildeburn 1077, without collation.

Sophia Hume was born in South Carolina about 1702 but she was soon taken to London where she continued to live until her death in 1774. She was an active Quaker preacher and writer. Franklin and Bradford published her *Exhortation* in the same year. It was reprinted in England in 1750, 1751 and twice in 1752, and in Dublin in 1754.

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[POOR RICHARD]

Note, This Almanack us'd to contain but 24 Pages, and | now has 36; yet the Price is very little advanc'd. | Poor Richard improved: | Being An | Almanack | And | Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, | For The | Year of our Lord 1749. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses, Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets, Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin and D. Hall.

pp (36). First impression before corrections. 3:2 x 5:14.

Hildeburn 1093.

The preface to the almanac for 1750 says, "In my last, a few Faults escap'd; . . . In the 2d Page of March, in some Copies, the Earth's circumference was said to be nigh 4000, instead of 24,000 Miles".

[SMITH (JOHN)]

The | Doctrine of Christianity, | As held by the People called | Quakers, | Vindicated: | In Answer to | Gilbert Tennent's Sermon | On | The Lawfulness of War. | [Twelve lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by Benjamin Franklin, | and David Hall. MDCCXLVIII.

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Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 1-56. 3:4 x 6:9.

Hildeburn 1098.

Written in November, 1747.

A | TREATY | Between The | President and Council | Of The |
Province of Pennsylvania, | And The | Indians of Ohio, | Held at
Philadelphia, Nov. 13. 1747. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed
and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New | Printing-Office, near the
Market. MDCCXLVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-8. 5:8 x 9:11.

Hildeburn 1110.

There is a catchword, "A", at the bottom of page 8.

A | TREATY | Held By | Commissioners, | Members of the Council
of the | Province of Pennsylvania, | At the Town of Lancaster, |
With some Chiefs of the Six Nations at Ohio, and | others, for the
Admission of the Twightwee Nation into the | Alliance of his
Majesty, &c. in the Month of July, 1748. | [Penn Arms] | Phila-
delphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New | Printing-
Office, near the Market. MDCCXLVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; To the Honourable the President and Council, 1 leaf;
1-10. 5:7 x 9:10.

Hildeburn 1111.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Represent-
atives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania. | Met at Philadelphia,
on the Fourteenth of October, | Anno Dom. 1747, and continued
by Adjournments. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold
by B. Franklin, at the New | Printing-Office, near the Market.
MDCCXLVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; Votes, October 14, 3-8; Votes, November 23, 9-15; Votes,
11th Month 4, 17-21; Votes, 3d Month 16, 23-30; Votes, 4th Month 8,
31-36; Votes, 6th Month 22, 37-55; Incidental Charges, (1). 5:7 x 9:10.

Hildeburn 1112.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae & Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Secundo. | At a General Assembly of the Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, the | Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1748, in the | Twenty-second Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Second | Day of January, 1748-9. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCXLIX. 1749

Title, 1 leaf; 73-88. 4:13 x 9:4.
Tower 677. Hildeburn 1116.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae & Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the Province of | Pennsylvania, begun and holden at Phi- | ladelphia, the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Dom. | 1748, in the Twenty-second Year of the Reign of our | Sovereign Lord George II. by the Grace of God, | of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender | of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Seventh | Day of August, 1749. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCXLIX.

Title, 1 leaf; 91-105. 4:8 x 8:12.
Tower 678. Hildeburn 1116.

[BOLINGBROKE (HENRY ST. JOHN, VISCOUNT)]

Letters | On The | Spirit of Patriotism: | On The | Idea of a Patriot King: | And | On the State of Parties, | At the Accession of | King George the First. | London Printed: | Philadelphia Reprinted,

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and Sold by | B. Franklin and D. Hall, at the Post- | Office, near
the Market. MDCCXLIX.

1749

Title, 1 leaf; advertisement, iii-iv; text, 5-86; advertisement, (2).

3:8 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 1152.

CHALKLEY (THOMAS)

A | Collection | Of The | Works | Of | Thomas Chalkley. | In
Two Parts. | [Five lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by
B. Franklin, and D. Hall, | MDCCXLIX.

Second Title: A | Journal, | Or, | Historical Account, | Of The |
Life, Travels, and Christian Experiences, | Of That | Antient,
Faithful Servant of Jesus Christ, | Thomas Chalkley; | Who departed
this Life in the Island of | Tortola, the fourth Day of the Ninth |
Month, 1741. | [Five lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed
by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, | MDCCXLIX.

Third Title: The | Works | Of | Thomas Chalkley. | Part II. |
Containing | His Epistles, and other Writings. | Philadelphia: |
Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. | MDCCXLIX.

Title, 1 leaf; v-xiii; contents, 1 page; title to Journal, 1 leaf; Journal,
1-326; title to Works, Part II, 1 leaf; cccxxix-cccxxx; 331-376; ccclxxvii-
ccclxxix; 380-410; ccccx-cccxciii; 414-477; ccclxxviii-cccclxxxii; 483-495;
cccxcvi-cccxcix; 500-554; cccclv-cccclvi; 557-576; cccclxxvii; 578-590.

3:8 x 6:12.

Hildeburn 1121.

Thomas Chalkley, born in London in 1675, died in Tortola, West Indies,
in 1741. He came to America in 1698. He lived most of his life in Phila-
delphia. He was the most influential Quaker preacher in America of his time.

CONDUCTOR GENERALIS: | Or, The | Office, Duty and

Authority | Of | Justices of the Peace, | High-Sheriffs, Under-
Sheriffs, Goalers, Coroners, | Constables, Jury-Men, and Overseers
of the Poor. | As Also | The Office of Clerks of Assize, | And of
the Peace, &c. | Collected out of all the Books hitherto written on

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those Subjects, | whether of Common or Statute-Law. | The whole
Alphabetically digested under the several Titles; with a | Table
directing to the ready finding out the proper Matter under | those
Titles. | To which is added, | A Collection out of Sir Mathew Hales,
concerning The Descent of | Lands; with séveral choice Maxims
in Law, and the Office | of Mayors, &c. | The Second Edition, with
large Additions. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin,
and D. Hall, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market, 1749.

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Title, 1 leaf; preface, (2); table, &c., (12); introduction, i-xvi; text,
1-464. 3:10 x 6:8.
Hildeburn 1122.

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]

Proposals | Relating to the | Education | Of | Youth | In |
Pensilvania. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: Printed in the Year,
M.DCC.XLIX.

Title, 1 leaf; advertisement, 1 page; authors quoted, 1 page; proposals,
5-32. 3:5 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 1129.

In his observations relative to the intentions of the original founders
of the Academy in Philadelphia, Franklin says:

“Having acquired some little Reputation by projecting the Public
Library in 1732, and obtaining the subscriptions by which it was estab-
lished, and by proposing and promoting with Success, sundry other Schemes
of Utility, in 1749 I was encouraged to hazard another Project, that of a
Public Education for our Youth. Before I went about to procure Subscrip-
tions, I thought it proper to prepare the Minds of the People by a Pamph-
let, which I wrote, and printed, and distributed with my Newspapers, gratis:
The Title was, ‘*Proposals relating to the Education of Youth in Pennsylv-
vania*’.”

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1750. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn-|sylvania, and the neighbour-|ing Provinces. | With
several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |

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Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets, and
Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

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pp (24). 1:12 x 3:9.
Hildeburn 1153.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1750. | Containing also, | The Luna-
tions, Conjunctions, Eclipses, Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising
and Setting of the | Planets, Length of Days and Nights, Fairs,
Courts, | Roads, &c. Together with useful Tables, chro- | nological
Observations, and entertaining Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of
Forty Degrees, and a Meridian of near | five Hours West from
London; but may, without sensible Error, | serve all the Northern
Colonies. | By Richard Saunders, Philom. | [Two lines of quotation] |
Philadelphia: Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:13.
Hildeburn 1154.

A | TRUE AND PARTICULAR | RELATION | Of the Dread-
ful | Earthquake, | Which happen'd | At Lima, the Capital of Peru,
and | the neighbouring Port of Callao, | On the 28th of October,
1746. | With an Account likewise of every Thing mate- | rial that
passed there afterwards to the End of | November following. |
Published at Lima by Command of the Viceroy, | And Translated
from the Original Spanish, | By a Gentleman who resided many
Years in those | Countries. | London Printed: | Philadelphia
Reprinted, and Sold by B. | Franklin, and D. Hall, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. 1749.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-52. 3:5 x 6:8.
Hildeburn 1163.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the
 Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia,
 the | Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1749, in the |
 Twenty-third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II.
 by the Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King,
 Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Ad-
 journments to the First | Day of January, 1749. | [Penn Arms] |
 Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
 Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCL.

1750

Title, 1 leaf; 107-119. 4:12 x 9:1.
 Tower 679. Hildeburn 1170.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Quarto. | At a General Assembly of the
 Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
 Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1749, in | the Twenty-
 third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
 Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
 of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
 to the | Sixth Day of August, 1750. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
 Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office,
 near the Market. MDCCL.

Title, 1 leaf; 123-125. 4:11 x 9:2.
 Tower 680. Hildeburn 1170.

CONDUCTOR GENERALIS: | Or, The | Office, Duty and
 Authority | Of | Justices of the Peace, | High-Sheriffs, Under-
 Sheriffs, Goalers, Coroners, | Constables, Jury-Men, and Overseers
 of the Poor. | As Also | The Office of Clerks of Assize, | And of
 the Peace, &c. | Collected out of all the Books hitherto written on

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those Subjects, | whether of Common or Statute-Law. | The whole
Alphabetically digested under the several Titles; with a | Table
directing to the ready finding out the proper Matter under | those
Titles. | To which is added, | A Collection out of Sir Mathew Hales,
concerning The Descent of | Lands; with several choice Maxims in
Law, and the Office | of Mayors, &c. | The Second Edition, with
large Additions. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin,
and D. Hall, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market, 1750.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, 1 leaf; table, &c., (12); introduction, i-xvi; text,
1-464. 3:10 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 1173.

The 1750 edition of the *Conductor Generalis* is the same as the 1749
edition, with merely a change of date.

MORGAN (ABEL)

Anti-Pædo-Rantism Defended: | A | Reply | 'To | Mr. Samuel
Finley's | Vindication of the Charitable Plea | for the Speechless. |
Wherein | His Repeated Objections against the Baptism | of Believers
only, and the Mode of it by | Immersion, are again Examined and
Refuted. | By Abel Morgan, | At Middletown, in East-Jersey. |
[Five lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin,
and D. Hall, | in Market-street. MDCCL.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-x; 11-230. 3:4 x 6:3.

Hildeburn 1186.

The last of four pamphlets of the controversy on Baptism between Rev.
Samuel Finley, of Nottingham, Md., and Rev. Abel Morgan, of Middletown,
N. J. Finley wrote in 1746 on *infant* baptism by sprinkling. Morgan, in
1747, wrote a reply maintaining baptism of *believers* by immersion. Finley
wrote a *Vindication* in 1748, and Morgan replied with this *Defence*. Finley's
pamphlets were published by William Bradford, and Morgan's by Franklin
and Hall.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1751. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. | With
several useful Additions. | By R Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |

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Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets, and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:12 x 3:11.
Hildeburn 1197.

1750

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1751. | Containing also, | The Luna-
tions, Conjunctions, Eclipses, Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising
and Setting of the | Planets, Length of Days and Nights, Fairs,
Courts, | Roads, &c. Together with useful Tables, chro- | nological
Observations, and entertaining Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of
Forty Degrees, and a Meridian of near | five Hours West from Lon-
don; but may, without sensible Error, | serve all the Northern
Colonies. | By Richard Saunders, Philom. | [Two lines of quotation] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:1 x 5:13.
Hildeburn 1198.

THOMSON (ADAM)

A | Discourse | On The | Preparation of the Body | For The |
Small-Pox: | And | The Manner of receiving the Infection. | As it
was deliver'd in the Publick Hall of the Academy, | before the
Trustees, and others, on Wednesday, | the 21st of November, 1750. |
By Adam Thomson, Physician in Philadelphia. | [Five lines of
quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall.
MDCCL.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-v; discourse, 7-24. 5:5 x 7:13.
Hildeburn 1199.

Reprinted, London, 1752; New York, 1757. Dr. H. L. Smith, in an
address before the Johns Hopkins Historical Club, credits Dr. Thomson with
being the originator of the American method of inoculation.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Quarto. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1750, in | the Twenty-
fourth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, De-
fender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjourn-
ments to the | Seventh Day of January, 1750-1. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLI.

Title, 1 leaf; 129-151. 4:12 x 9:1.
Tower 681. Hildeburn 1203.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Quarto. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1750, in | the Twenty-
fourth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the | Sixth Day of May, 1751. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near
the Market. MDCCLI.

Title, 1 leaf; 155-158. 4:12 x 9:1.
Tower 682. Hildeburn 1203.

ARNDT (JOHANN)

Des Hoherleuchteten Theologi, | Herrn Johann Arndts, |
Weiland General-Superintendenten | des Fürstenthums Lüneburg,
&c. | Sämtliche | Sechs geistreiche Bücher | Vom | Wahren | Chris-
tenthum, | Das ist: | Von heilsamer Busse, | Hertzlicher Neue und

THE
OECONOMY
OF
HUMAN LIFE.

Translated from an *Indian* Manuscript, written by an ancient
BRAMIN.

To which is prefixed,

An Account of the Manner in which the
said MANUSCRIPT was discover'd.

IN

A LETTER from an *English* Gentle-
man, now residing in *China*, to the
Earl of ****.

The SIXTH EDITION.

LONDON Printed:

Philadelphia, Re-printed and Sold by B.
FRANKLIN, and D. HALL. 1751.

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Leid über die | Sünde, wahrem Glauben, auch heiligem | Leben und Wandel der rechten wahren | Christen. | Neue Auflage mit Kupfern, | Samt | Richtigen Anmerckungen, kräftigen Gebetern | über alle Capitel, | und | Einem sechsfachen Register. | Philadelphia / gedruckt und verlegt bey Benjamin Fräncklin | und Johann Böhm. 1751.

Title, 1 leaf; preliminary matter, (32); text, 1-1356; 64 plates including the frontispiece portrait. 3:15 x 6:10.

Hildeburn 1204.

Hildeburn says 65 plates, but we have examined a number of copies, all of which agree as to the plates. Brinley's collation also was 64. The plates were imported from Germany. There were 512 subscribers to the book.

The first German edition was published in 1605.

[DODSLEY (ROBERT)]

The | Oeconomy | Of | Human Life. | Translated from an Indian Manu- | script, written by an ancient | Bramin. | To which is prefixed, | An Account of the Manner in which the | said Manuscript was discover'd. | In | A Letter from an English Gentle- | man, now residing in China, to the | Earl of * * * *. | The Sixth Edition. | London Printed: | Philadelphia, Re-printed and Sold by B. | Franklin, and D. Hall. 1751.

Title, 1 leaf; advertisement, iii-iv; To The Earl of - - - - -, v-ix; To the Great Representative, x-xvi; half title, The Oeconomy, 1 page; contents, xviii-xix; introduction, xx-xxii; half title, Part I, 1 leaf; text, 3-27; blank page; half title, Part II, 1 page; text, 30-42; half title, Part III, 1 leaf; text, 45-49; blank page; half title, Part IV, 1 page; text, 52-59; blank page; half title, Part V, 1 page; text, 62-74; half title, Part VI, 1 leaf; text, 77-88; half title, Part VII, 1 leaf; text, 91-96; Lately published, and to be sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, (2). 2:8 x 4:10.

Hildeburn 1213, without collation.

Apparently the only known copy. It was written, not by Dodsley, but by the Earl of Chesterfield. The first edition was published in London in 1750.

Robert Dodsley (1703-1764) started life as a footman and rose to be poet, dramatist, editor and the most famous bookseller of his day. His writings are numerous.

THE AMERICAN
Country Almanack,

FOR
The Year of Christian Account,

1752.

AND
From the Creation by Scripture, 5761.
Being BISSEXTILE, or LEAP-YEAR.

Wherein is contained,

The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of the
Weather, (in this uncertain Climate) Planets Places in
the Ecliptick, and mutual Aspects, Sun and Moon's
rising and setting, Seven Stars rising and setting, Courts,
Fairs, and observable Days.

Calculated from Caroline Tables, according
to Art, and fitted for the Province of *Pennsylvania*, but
may without sensible Error serve all the Provinces
adjacent.

By THOMAS MORE, *Philodespot*.

*Here see how Time slides swiftly on, while we
Indulge our selves in soft Security.
Observe each Minute as it were your last;
None can recal a Moment when 'tis past.*

PHILADELPHIA:
Printed and Sold by B FRANKLIN and D. HALL, at the
New-Printing-Office, near the Market.

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MORE (THOMAS)

1751

The American | Country Almanack, | For | The Year of Christian Account, | 1752. | And | From the Creation by Scripture, 5761. | Being Bissextile, or Leap-Year. | Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of the | Weather, (in this uncertain Climate) Planets Places in | the Ecliptick, and mutual Aspects, Sun and Moon's | rising and setting, Seven Stars rising and setting, Courts, | Fairs, and observable Days. | Calculated from Caroline Tables, according | to Art, and fitted for the Province of Pennsylvania, but | may without sensible Error serve all the Provinces | adjacent. | By Thomas More, Philodespot. | [Four lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B Franklin and D. Hall, at the New-Printing-Office, near the Market.

pp (24). 3:2 x 5:10.

Hildeburn 1225.

The only known copy.

PETERS (RICHARD)

A | Sermon | On | Education. | Wherein | Some Account is given of the | Academy, | Established in the | City of Philadelphia. | Preach'd at the Opening thereof, on the Seventh | Day of January, 1750-1. | By the Reverend Mr. Richard Peters. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, | at the Post-Office: MDCCLI.

Title, 1 leaf; dedication, iii-vii; (1); sermon, 1-41; Constitutions of the Academy, 42-48; Idea of the English School, 1-8. 3:4 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 1234.

In his observations relative to the intentions of the original founders of the Academy, Franklin says: "I wrote also a Paper, entitled *Idea of an English School*, which was printed, and afterwards annex'd to Mr. Peters' Sermon, preach'd at the opening of the Academy."

Richard Peters (1704-1776) was an English clergyman who came to Philadelphia about 1735. He became one of the Provincial Councillors of Pennsylvania. He helped to found the Academy and was president of its Board, 1756-1764. He was very much opposed to George Whitefield. He was active in most of the public movements of his time.

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A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1752. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadel-
phia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs,
Planets, and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

1751

pp (24). 1:12 x 3:11.
Hildeburn 1238.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1752: | Being Bissextile, or Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

pp (36). 4:1 x 5:13.
Hildeburn 1239.

SHORT (THOMAS)

Medicina Britannica: | Or A | Treatise | On Such | Physical Plants, |
As Are | Generally to be found in the Fields or Gardens | in Great-
Britain: | Containing | A particular Account of their Nature, Vir- |
tues, and Uses. | Together with the Observations of the most learned
Physicians, | as well ancient as modern, communicated to the late
ingeni- | ous Mr. Ray, and the learned Dr. Sim. Pauli. | Adapted more
especially to the Occasions of those, whose Condition or Situation |

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of Life deprives them, in a great Measure, of the Helps of the Learned. | By Tho. Short, of Sheffield, M. D. | To which is added, | An Appendix: | Containing | The true Preparation, Preservation, Uses and Doses of most | Forms of Remedies necessary for private Families. | The Third Edition. | With a Preface by Mr. John Bartram, Botanist of | Pennsylvania, and his Notes throughout the Work, shewing the Places | where many of the described Plants are to be found in these Parts of | America, their Differences in Name, Appearance and Virtue, from those | of the same Kind in Europe; and an Appendix, containing a Description | of a Number of Plants peculiar to America, their Uses, Virtues, &c. | London Printed: | Philadelphia Re-printed, and Sold by B Franklin, and | D. Hall, at the Post-Office, in Market-street. MDCCLI.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-xvi; Mr. Bartram's preface, xvii-xx; text, 1-338; index, p 339; appendix, 1-40; Mr. Bartram's appendix, 1-7. 3:5 x 6:9.
Hildeburn 1240.

Franklin's reprint was issued the same year as the original edition.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Representatives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania, | Met at Philadelphia, on the Fourteenth Day of October, | Anno Dom. 1750, and continued by Adjournments. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLI.

Title, 1 leaf; Votes, October 15, 3-13; Votes, 11th Month, 7, 15-62; Votes, Third Month 6, 63-71; Votes, Sixth Month 12, 73-94; Incidental charges, (2). 5:7 x 9:11.

Hildeburn 1242.

1752

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae & Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Quinto. | At a General Assembly of the Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the

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Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1751, in | the Twenty-
fifth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to
the | Third Day of February, 1752. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office,
near the Market. MDCCLII.

1752

Title, 1 leaf; 161-184. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 684. Hildeburn 1246.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Sexto. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, the |
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1751, in | the Twenty-
fifth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the | Tenth Day of August, 1752. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office,
near the Market, MDCCLII.

Title, 1 leaf; 187-208. 4:11 x 9:1.
Hildeburn 1246. Tower 685.

LAWS | OF THE | GOVERNMENT | Of | New-Castle, Kent and
Sussex, | Upon Delaware. | Published by Order of the Assembly. |
[Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin and
D. Hall, | at the New Printing-Office, in Market-Street. | M DCC LII.

Title, 1 leaf; Duke of York's deed, and charter, 3-14; laws, 15-363;
table, i-xvii. 4:9 x 8:13.

Hildeburn 1252. Tower 110.

The "three lower counties" on the Delaware were closely connected
with the three upper counties of Philadelphia, Chester and Bucks, under
the same proprietor, but had their separate government.

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[JOHNSON (SAMUEL, D. D.)]

1752 Elementa Philosophica: | Containing chiefly, | Noetica, | Or Things relating to the | Mind or Understanding: | And | Ethica, | Or Things relating to the | Moral Behaviour. | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. 1752.

Second Title: Noetica: | Or the First Principles of | Human Knowledge. | Being A | Logick, | Including both | Metaphysics and Dialectic, | Or the Art of Reasoning. | With a brief Pathology, and an Account of the | gradual Progress of the Human Mind, from | the first Dawnings of Sense to the highest | Perfection, both Intellectual and Moral, of | which it is capable. | To which is prefixed, | A Short Introduction | To the | Study of the Sciences. | [Four lines of quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. 1752.

Third Title: Ethica: | Or the First Principles of | Moral Philosophy; | And especially that Part which is called | Ethics. | In a Chain of necessary Consequences | from certain Facts. | [Eleven lines of quotation] | The Second Edition. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. 1752.

Title, 1 leaf; half-title to Noetica, 1 leaf; title to Noetica, 1 leaf; dedication, 1 leaf; advertisement, vii-viii; errata, 1 leaf; introduction, ix-xviii; table, xix; contents, xx-xxiv; Noetica, 1-103; table, 1 leaf; half title to Ethica, 1 leaf; title to Ethica, 1 leaf; advertisement, v-vii; contents, 1 page; Ethica, 1-100; Wollaston's prayer, 101-103. 3:2 x 6:4.

Hildeburn 1262.

Written by Samuel Johnson, D. D., born in Guilford, Connecticut, in 1696. He was graduated from Yale College in 1714. He was the first president of King's College, now Columbia University, New York, from 1755-1763. He died in 1772.

Editions of the *Ethica* had been published in Boston in 1746 and 1748. The Philosophical Meditation appended to *Noetica* is by Fenelon, as translated by Bishop Berkeley. The book was reprinted in London, in 1754, apparently under the editorial supervision of William Smith, D. D.,

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the first provost of the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Smith was on intimate terms with Dr. Johnson.

Benjamin Franklin had consulted with Dr. Johnson about a plan of education for the College, afterwards the University of Pennsylvania, and urged him to become president of the College, but Dr. Johnson declined.

1752

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1753. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets, and
Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:12 x 3:10.
Hildeburn 1278.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1753: | Being the First after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:1 x 5:13.
Hildeburn 1279.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Represent-
atives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania, | Met at Philadelphia,
on the Fourteenth of October, | Anno Dom. 1751, and continued

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1752 by Adjournments. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLII.

Title, 1 leaf; Votes, October 14, 3-7; Votes, The third Day of the Month called February, 9-41; Votes, The tenth Day of the Month called August, 43-61; Incidental Charges, p 62. 5:8 x 9:12.

Hildeburn 1283.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Representatives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania. | Beginning the Fourth Day of December, 1682. | Volume The First. | In Two Parts. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLII.

Second Title: Votes | And | Proceedings | Of The | House of Representatives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania. | Part The Second. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLII.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-iv; letters, etc., v-xxxviii; votes, 1-164; appendix, i-xxix; title of Part Second, 1 leaf; charters, i-viii; votes, 1-187.

7 x 12:12.

Hildeburn 1284.

1753

DAVIES (SAMUEL)

A | Sermon, | Preached before the | Reverend Presbytery | Of | New-Castle, | October 11. 1752. | By S. Davies, V. D. M. | In Hanover, Virginia. | Published at the Desire of the Presbytery and | Congregation. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, in Market-street. | M,DCC,LIII.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-v; 1-38. 3:5 x 6:8.

Hildeburn 1294.

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Samuel Davies (1724-1761) was born in New Castle County, Delaware. He was a pupil of Rev. Samuel Blair's Presbyterian Seminary. He was licensed to preach in 1746, and he went to Hanover, Va., the next year. In 1753 he went to England to collect funds for the College of New Jersey (Princeton) of which he became the president in 1759.

1753

INSTRUCTIONS | Given By | Benjamin Franklin, and William
Hunter, Esquires, | His Majesty's Deputy Post-Masters General
of all his Dominions on the Continent of North America, to
| their Deputy Post-Master, for the Stage of | in the
Province of

Broadside, one page, 12 x 19:8. Twenty-three paragraphs of instructions. Signed at the end B. Franklin and W. Hunter. Probably printed by Franklin & Hall about 1753. A copy was sold at Anderson's, March 18th, 1909. Not in Hildeburn or Ford.

MORE (THOMAS)

The American | Country Almanack, | For The | Year of Christian
Account | 1754. | And | From the Creation by Scripture, 5763. |
Being the Second after Bissextile, | or Leap-Year. | According to
the New Calender and Act of Parliament. | Wherein is contained, |
The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of the | Weather, (in this un-
certain Climate) Planets Places in | the Ecliptick, and mutual Aspects,
Sun's and Moon's | rising and setting, Seven Stars rising and setting,
Tide | Table, Courts, and observable Days. | Calculated from Caroline
Tables, according to Art, | and fitted for the Province of Pennsylvania,
but may | without sensible Error serve all the Provinces adjacent. |
By Thomas More, Philodespot. | [Three lines of quotation] | Phila-
delphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, | at the New
Printing-Office, near the Market.

pp (24). 3:2 x 5:8.

Hildeburn 1312, improperly and imperfectly described.

The only other known copy of this issue is owned by the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

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- 1753 A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1754. | Fitted to the
 Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
 With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadel-
 phia: | Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs,
 Planets, and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]
 pp (24). 1:12 x 3:10.
 Hildeburn 1324.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
 Ephemeris | Or The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
 True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
 of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
 For The | Year of our Lord 1754: | Being the Second after Leap-
 Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
 Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
 Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
 with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
 Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
 of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
 Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
 Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D.
 Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:13.
 Hildeburn 1325.

[SMITH (WILLIAM)]

A | Poem | On visiting the | Academy | Of | Philadelphia, June
 1753. | [Three lines of quotation] | [Ornament] | Philadelphia: |
 Printed in the Year MDCCLIII.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 5-16. 4:12 x 10:14.
 Hildeburn 1327.

On June 5th, 1753, Dr. Smith wrote, "The performance is far inferior
 to the subject, but an apology will not mend it."

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VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Represent-
atives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania. | Beginning the Four-
teenth Day of October, 1707. | Volume The Second. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, At
the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLIII.

1753

Title, 1 leaf; 1-494. 6:15 x 12:11.
Hildeburn 1333.

1754

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]

Some | Account | Of The | Pennsylvania Hospital; | From its first
Rise, to the Beginning | of the Fifth Month, called May, 1754. |
[Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall.
MDCCLIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-40. 5:8 x 7:12.
Hildeburn 1363.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1755: | Being the Third after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
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Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
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Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:14.
Hildeburn 1383.

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SMITH (WILLIAM)

- 1754 Personal Affliction and frequent Reflection upon | human Life,
of great Use to lead Man to the | Remembrance of God. | A | Ser-
mon, | Preach'd on Sunday Sept. 1, 1754, in | Christ-Church,
Philadelphia; | Occasioned by the | Death of a beloved Pupil, |
Who departed this Life, August 28, 1754, | in the 16th Year of his
Age. | By W. Smith, M. A. Professor of Phi- | losophy in the
Academy of Philadelphia. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B.
Franklin, and D. | Hall, at the New-Printing-Office. 1754.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-viii; 1-16; (1). 3:6 x 6:5.

Hildeburn 1384.

Verses by Francis Hopkinson, J. Duché, Paul Jackson, and others, are
prefixed.

The pupil was William Thomas Martin, son of Josiah Martin, who
was afterwards governor of North Carolina.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Repre-
sentatives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania. | Beginning the
Fourteenth Day of October, 1726. | Volume The Third. | [Penn
Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D.
Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-591. 7 x 12:10.

Hildeburn 1387.

1755

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Octavo. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1754, | in the Twenty-
eighth Year of the Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, De-
fender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjourn-
ments to the Seven- | tenth Day of March, 1755. | [Penn Arms]

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market, MDCCLV.

Title, 1 leaf; 211-214. 4:11 x 9:2.
Tower 686. Hildeburn 1395.

1755

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Octavo. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1754, | in the Twenty-
eighth Year of the Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the Thir- | teenth Day of June, 1755. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near
the Market, MDCCLV.

Title, 1 leaf; 217-222. 4:11 x 9:2.
Tower 687. Hildeburn 1395.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1754, | in the Twenty-
eighth Year of the Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II. by
the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
Adjournments to the | Twenty-third Day of July, 1755. | [Penn
Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
New- | Printing-Office, near the Market, MDCCLV.

Title, 1 leaf; 225-235. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 688. Hildeburn 1395.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the

THE CURTIS COLLECTION

1755

Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1754, | in the Twenty-
eighth Year of the Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the Fif- | teenth Day of September, 1755. | [Penn Arms] | Philadel-
phia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-
Office, near the Market. MDCCLV.

Title, 1 leaf; p 239. 4:12 x 9:3.
Tower 689. Hildeburn 1395.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, |
the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini, 1755, | in the
Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of our Sove- | reign Lord George II.
by the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Ad-
journments to the Third | Day of November, 1755. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLV.

Title, 1 leaf; 243-260. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 690. Hildeburn 1396.

BARTON (THOMAS)

Unanimity and Public Spirit, | A | Sermon, | Preached at | Car-
lisle, | And some other Episcopal Churches, in the | Counties of
York and Cumber- | land, soon after General Brad- | dock's Defeat. |
Published by particular Request. | By the Reverend Mr. Thomas
Barton, | Missionary to the said Churches. | To which is prefixed, |
A Letter from the Reverend Mr. Smith, | Provost of the College
of Philadelphia, concerning | the Office and Duties of a Protestant

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

Ministry, especially in Times of public Calamity and Danger. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin and D. Hall, at | the New-Printing-Office; by W. Dunlap, in Lan- | caster; and in York County by the Author. 1755.

1755

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-iv; Smith's letter, v-xx; sermon, 1-16.

3:8 x 6:14.

Hildeburn 1398.

Thomas Barton (1730-1780) was born in Ireland. In 1751 he settled in Philadelphia and became tutor in the Academy. He was for twenty years rector of St. James's Church, Lancaster. He married a sister of David Rittenhouse.

EVANS (LEWIS)

Geographical, Historical, | Political, Philosophical and Mechanical | Essays. | The First, Containing | An | Analysis | Of a General Map of the | Middle British Colonies | In | America; | And of the Country of the Confederate Indians: | A Description of the Face of the Country; | The Boundaries of the Confederates; | And The | Maritime and Inland Navigations of the several Rivers | and Lakes contained therein. | By Lewis Evans. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. MDCCLV.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-iv; 1-32; with folding map [see full description on page 127]. 5:10 x 8:1.

Hildeburn 1412.

There are four imprints of this book, two of the first and two of the second edition.

EVANS (LEWIS)

Geographical, Historical, | Political, Philosophical and Mechanical | Essays. | The First, Containing | An | Analysis | Of a General Map of the | Middle British Colonies | In | America; | And of the Country of the Confederate Indians: | A Description of the Face of the Country; | The Boundaries of the Confederates; | And The | Maritime and Inland Navigations of the several Rivers | and Lakes

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1755 contained therein. | By Lewis Evans. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. MDCCLV. | And sold by R. and J. Dodsley, in Pall-Mall, London.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 1-32. 5:11 x 8:1.
Not in Hildeburn; see his No. 1412.

EVANS (LEWIS)

Geographical, Historical, | Political, Philosophical and Mechanical | Essays. | The First, Containing | An | Analysis | Of a General Map of the | Middle British Colonies | In | America; | And of the Country of the Confederate Indians: | A Description of the Face of the Country; | The Boundaries of the Confederates; | And The | Maritime and Inland Navigations of the several Rivers | and Lakes contained therein. | By Lewis Evans. | The Second Edition. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. MDCCLV.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-iv; 1-32. 5:10 x 8:1.
Hildeburn 1412.

Laid in this copy is a "Map of the Middle British Colonies copied from the Original published in Philadelphia by Lewis Evans, with Improvements by I. Gibson, Sold by T. Jefferys, Charing Cross."

EVANS (LEWIS)

Geographical, Historical, | Political, Philosophical and Mechanical | Essays. | The First, Containing | An | Analysis | Of a General Map of the | Middle British Colonies | In | America; | And of the Country of the Confederate Indians: | A Description of the Face of the Country; | The Boundaries of the Confederates; | And The | Maritime and Inland Navigations of the several Rivers | and Lakes contained therein. | By Lewis Evans. | The Second Edition. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. MDCCLV. | And sold by J. and R. Dodsley, in Pall-Mall, London.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 1-32. 5:6 x 8:1.
Not in Hildeburn; see his No. 1412.

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EVANS (LEWIS)

A general Map of the | Middle British Colonies, in America; |
Viz Virginia, Måriland, Dèlaware, Pensilvania, | New-Jersey,
New-York, Connecticut, and Rhode Island: | Of Aquanishuonîgy,
the Country of the Confederate Indians; | Cómprehending Aquan-
ishuonîgy proper, their Place of Residence, | Ohio and Tiiuxsox-
rúntie their Deer-Hunting Countries, | Couxsaxráge and Skania-
daråde, their Beaver-Hunting Countries; | Of the Lakes Erie, Ontário
and Champlain, | And of Part of New-France: | Wherein is also
shewn the antient and present Seats of the | Indian Nations. | By
Lewis Evans. 1755

1755

Published according to Act of Parliament, by Lewis Evans,
June 23. 1755. and | sold by R. Dodsley, in Pall-Mall, London,
& by the Author in Philadelphia.

Engraved by Ja^s Turner in Philadelphia.

Size of plate mark: 19:12 x 26:8.

Hildeburn 1412.

This map was published in connection with Lewis's *Geographical, Historical, Political, Philosophical and Mechanical Essays*. It is rarer than the book.

In 1771, Governor Pownall issued a revised edition of Evans's Map printed from the original plate. This is the only genuine reprint. There are at least eight spurious editions: 1st—Improved by I. Gibson and sold by T. Kitchin, 1756; 2nd—Sold by T. Jefferys, 1758; 3rd—Printed for Carington Bowles, 1771; 4th—Sold by R. Sayer and T. Jefferys, 1775; 5th—Published by R. Sayer and J. Bennett, 1776; 6th—Bowles's New Pocket Map, 1792-93; 7th—Published by Laurie and Whittle, 1794-1807; 8th—Reprinted for Bowles & Carver, 1797-1800.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1756. | Fitted to the

Use of Penn-|sylvania, and the neighbour-|ing Provinces. | With
several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | [Thirteen lines]

pp (24).

Hildeburn 1435.

THE CURTIS COLLECTION

1755 POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
 Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
 True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
 of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
 For The | Year of our Lord 1756: | Being Bissextile or Leap-
 Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
 Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
 Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
 with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
 Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
 of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
 Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
 Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
 D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:14.
 Hildeburn 1436.

1756

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the
 Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, |
 the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1755, in | the
 Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II.
 by the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
 Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Ad-
 journments to the Third | Day of February, 1756. | [Penn Arms] |
 Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
 Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; 263-266. 4:13 x 9:3.
 Tower 691. Hildeburn 1451.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1755, in | the Twenty-
ninth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by
the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
Adjournments to the Fifth | Day of April, 1756. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVI.

1756

Title, 1 leaf; 269-270. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 692. Hildeburn 1451.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Vigesimo Nono. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1755, in | the Twenty-
ninth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the Tenth | Day of May, 1756. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office,
near the Market. MDCCLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; 273-274. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 693. Hildeburn 1451.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1755, in | the Twenty-
ninth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the Six- | teenth Day of August, 1756. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |

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Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near
the Market. MDCCLVI.

1756

Title, 1 leaf; 277-316. 4:12 x 9:3.
Tower 694. Hildeburn 1451.

THE|CHRISTIAN'S DUTY|To|Render to Cæsar the Things that
are Cæsar's, | Considered; | With Regard to the Payment of the
present | Tax of Sixty Thousand Pounds, granted | to the King's
Use. | In which all the Arguments for the Non-payment | thereof
are examined and refuted. | Addressed to the Scrupulous among the
People | called Quakers. | By a Lover of his King and Country. |
[Small Ornament] | Philadelphia: | Printed in the Year MDCCLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; introduction, p iii; text, 5-27. 3:4 x 6:8.
Hildeburn 1460.

GEOGRAPHICAL, Historical, | Political, Philosophical and Me-
chanical | Essays. | Number II. Containing, | A | Letter | Rep-
resenting, the Impropriety of sending Forces to Virginia: | The
Importance of taking Fort Frontenac; | And that the Preservation
of Oswego was owing to General Shirley's | Proceeding thither. |
And containing Objections to those Parts of Evans's General Map
and | Analysis, which relate to the French Title to the Country, on
the | North-West Side of St. Laurence River, between Fort Fron-
tenac | and Montreal. &c. | Published in the New-York Mer-
cury, No. 178, Jan. 5. 1756. | With An | Answer, | To so much
thereof as concerns the Public; | And the several Articles set in
a just Light. | By Lewis Evans. | Philadelphia: | Printed for the
Author; and Sold by him in Arch-Street: | And at New-York by
G. Noel, Bookseller near Counts's Market. | MDCCLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; letter, 3-4; answer, 5-38; postscript, 39-42. 4:14 x 7:13.
Hildeburn 1463. Printed by Franklin and Hall.

This is an answer to an article in the New York Mercury for January
5th, 1756, accusing Evans of misstatements as to French possessions in

Poor Roger, 1757.

THE AMERICAN
Country Almanack,
FOR THE
Year of Christian Account

I 7 5 7.
AND

From the Creation by Scripture, 5766.

Being the *first* after BISSEXTILE, or
LEAP-YEAR.

Wherein is contained,

The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of the
Weather, (in this uncertain Climate) Planets Places
in the Ecliptick, and mutual Aspects; Sun's and
Moon's rising and setting, seven Stars rising and
setting, Tide Table, Courts, and observable Days

Calculated according to Art, and fitted to the Pro-
vince of *Pennsylvania*, but may without sensible Error
serve all the Provinces adjacent.

By ROGER MORE, *Philodespot*.

*The Press assists to waft the extended Soul,
Thro' boundless Æther, and from Pole to Pole.
Liberty, for Refuge, hangs upon the Press.
From thence she still has hopes of some Redress.*

PHILADELPHIA :

Printed and Sold by B. Franklin and D. Hall, at the
New Printing-Office near the Market.

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Canada, made in his publication of the previous year. Evans maintains the correctness of his statements, which history proves to have been correct.

1756

MORE (ROGER)

Poor Roger, 1757. | The American | Country Almanack, | For
The | Year of Christian Account | 1757. | And | From the Creation
by Scripture, 5766. | Being the first after Bissextile, or | Leap-Year. |
Wherein is contained, | The Lunations, Eclipses, Judgment of the |
Weather, (in this uncertain Climate) Planets Places | in the Eclip-
tick, and mutual Aspects; Sun's and | Moon's rising and setting,
seven Stars rising and | setting, Tide Table, Courts, and observable
Days. | Calculated according to Art, and fitted to the Pro- | vince
of Pennsylvania, but may without sensible Error | serve all the
Provinces adjacent. | By Roger More, Philodespot. | [Four lines of
quotation] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin and D.
Hall, at the | New Printing-Office near the Market.

Probably pp (24) including title, but this copy very imperfect, contain-
ing title, and on the back "Courteous Reader", 1 leaf; next leaf gone; Janu-
ary to December, (12); eclipses and Supreme Court, (2); six other pages.

3:2 x 5:10.

Hildeburn 1482. Hildeburn mentions this as by T. Moore and not by
Roger More or as Poor Roger.

The only known copy. Franklin's printing of the More almanacs seems
to have begun with the issue for 1746 and ended with this for 1757. The
first was issued by Thomas and the last by Roger More. The Historical
Society of Pennsylvania has the issues for 1748, 1750, 1754 and 1755; the
Library Company of Philadelphia has the issue for 1755. There appears to
be none in New York, Boston or London. The almanac for 1763 was
printed in New York and is called "Poor Thomas."

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1757. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets, and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24).

Hildeburn 1498.

1756

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1757: | Being the First after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D.
Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:15.

Hildeburn 1499.

[SCOUGAL (HENRY)]

Das | Leben Gottes | in | der Seele des Menschen | oder | die
Natur und Vortreflichkeit | der | Christlichen Religion, | den | Zer-
streuten Kindern Gottes und verlohrnen Scha- | fen vom Hause
Israel in und ausser den mancherley | Partien zum Dienst, | auf |
Veranstaltung der von einer löblichen Ge- | sellschaft in London
ernannten General | Trustees aus dem englischen ins teutsche | über-
setzt, | nebst | einer in ihrem Namen gestellten Vorrede, | worin | so
wohl das Vorhaben dieser löblichen Ge- | sellschaft als auch die
eigentliche Absicht | dieser gegenwärtigen Uebersetzung vor- |

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1756

geleget wird. | Philadelphia: Gedruckt und zu haben bey Benjamin | Fräncklin, Post-Meister und Ant. Armbrüser, 1756.

Title, 1 leaf; (19); 1-78; (1). 3:12 x 6:9.

Hildeburn 1500.

Henry Scougal, born 1650, died 1678. He was an eminent Scotch Presbyterian clergyman. He died at the age of twenty-eight. His *Life of God in the Soul of Man* was the only one of his works published during his life. It is one of the few classics of the Scotch church. It was first published in 1671, and has been many times reprinted in English.

WHITEFIELD (GEORGE)

A Short | Address | To | Persons of all Denominations, | Occa-
sioned By The | Alarm of an Intended Invasion. | By George White-
field, | Chaplain to the Right Honourable the Countess of |
Huntington. | I will also shew my Opinion. Job xxxii. 10. | The
Third Edition. | London Printed: | Philadelphia Re-printed, and
Sold by B. Frank- | lin, and D. Hall, at the New-Printing-Office, |
in Market-street. MDCCLVI.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-16. 3:3 x 6:4.

Hildeburn 1508.

1757

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1756, in | the Thir-
tieth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued to the Fourth
Day of No- | vember, 1756. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed
and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the
Market. MDCCLVII.

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Title, 1 leaf; 319-321. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 695. Hildeburn 1514.

1757

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1756, in | the Thir-
tieth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournment to
the Twen- | ty-second Day of November, 1756. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; 325-334. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 696. Hildeburn 1514.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Four-
teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1756, in | the Thirtieth Year
of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God,
of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of | the Faith,
&c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Third |
Day of January, 1757. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and
Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Mar-
ket. MDCCLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; 347-361. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 698. Hildeburn 1514.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the

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1757

Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1756, in | the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the Thir- | tieth Day of May, 1757. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; 365-372. 4:12 x 9:2
Tower 699. Hildeburn 1514.

BARCLAY (ROBERT)

The | Anarchy | Of The | Ranters, | And other Libertines; | The | Hierarchy | Of The | Romanists, | And Other | Pretended Churches, equally refused and re- | futed, in a two-fold Apology for the Church | and People of God, called in Derision, Quakers. | Wherein | They are vindicated from those that accuse them of Disorder | and Con- fusion on the one Hand, and from such as calumniate | them with Tyranny and Imposition on the other; shewing, that | as the true and pure Principles of the Gospel are restored by | their Testimony; so is also the antient Apostolick Order of | the Church of Christ re-established among them, and settled | upon its right Basis and Foundation. | By Robert Barclay. | [Four lines of quotation] | Phila- delphia: | Re-printed, and Sold by B. Franklin, and | D. Hall, 1757.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-viii; text, I-III; contents, 1 page.

3:2 x 6:5.

Hildeburn 1516.

The first edition of *The Anarchy of the Ranters* was published in London in 1676. Robert Barclay (1648-1690) was one of the greatest of the Quaker writers. His most famous book is his *Apology*.

HOPKINS (SAMUEL)

An | Address | To The | People of New-England. | Represent- ing | The very great Importance of attaching the | Indians to their

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Interest; not only by | treating them justly and kindly; but by using
pro- | per Endeavours to settle Christianity among them. | By Samuel
Hopkins, A. M. | Pastor of a Church in Springfield. | [Four lines
of quotation] | Printed in Boston, 1753. Being a Conclusion to the |
Historical Memoirs relating to the Housatunnuk In- | dians; with an
Account of the Methods used for the | Propagation of the Gospel
amongst the said Indians, by | the late reverend Mr. John Sergeant. |
Now recommended to the serious Consideration of the Inhabi- |
tants of Pennsylvania, and the other Colonies. | Philadelphia: | Re-
printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. 1757.

1757

Title, 1 leaf; 3-27. 3:5 x 6:7.

Hildeburn 1532.

Rev. Samuel Hopkins (1721-1803) was born in Connecticut. He was a graduate of Yale College. He was an earnest opponent of negro slavery. His agitation led to negro emancipation in Rhode Island. He originated a system of theology which is known in New England as "Hopkinsianism". Harriet Beecher Stowe introduced him into her *Minister's Wooing*. He was a voluminous writer on theology.

Rev. John Sergeant (1710-1749) was born in New Jersey and died in Massachusetts. He settled among the Housatonic Indians in 1735 and preached to them in their own language, and translated part of the Bible for them.

MINUTES | OF | CONFERENCES, | Held With The | Indians,
at Easton, | In the Months of July and November, 1756; | To-
gether With | Two Messages sent by the Government to the | In-
dians residing on Sasquehannah; and the Report of the Com- | mittee
appointed by the Assembly to attend the Governor at | the last of
the said Conferences. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and
Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office,
near the Market. MDCCLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-32. 7 x 12:11.

Hildeburn 1538.

Annotated in the margin by Benjamin Franklin for Lord Shelburne, afterwards Prime Minister of England.

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1757 MINUTES | OF | CONFERENCES, | Held With The | Indians, |
At | Easton, | In the Months of July, and August, 1757. | [Penn
Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D.
Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-24. 7 x 12:10.

Hildeburn 1539.

At this important treaty, many of the differences between the Delawares and the English were settled. The Indians had been hostile since the infamous "Walking Purchase," of 1737, when they were cheated out of their land at the Forks of the Delaware. Teedyuscung, a bronze statue of whom overlooks the Wissahickon, was the spokesman for the Delawares. Delegates were present from the Six Nations also.

Annotated in the margins by Benjamin Franklin for Lord Shelburne, afterwards Prime Minister of England.

MINUTES | OF | CONFERENCES, | Held With The | Indians, |
At Harris's Ferry, and at Lancaster, | In March, April, and May,
1757. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Frank-
lin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the Market.
MDCCLVII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-22. 6:15 x 12:10.

Hildeburn 1540.

Annotated in the margins by Benjamin Franklin for Lord Shelburne, afterwards Prime Minister of England.

PIKE (JOSEPH)

An | Epistle | To The | National Meeting | Of | Friends, | In |
Dublin, | Concerning good Order and Discipline | in the Church. |
Written by Josph Pike. | Philadelphia: | Re-printed, and Sold by B.
Franklin, and | D. Hall, 1757.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-23. 3:2 x 5:15.

Hildeburn 1552.

Generally bound at the end of Barclay's *Anarchy of the Ranters*. Joseph Pike was an Irish Quaker. He was born in 1657 and died in 1729. He published his *Epistle* in Dublin in 1726.

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 Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
 True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
 of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
 For The | Year of our Lord 1758: | Being the Second after Leap-
 Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
 Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
 Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
 with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
 Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
 of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
 Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
 Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
 D. Hall.

1757

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:14.
 Hildeburn 1558.

This is the last of the Poor Richard almanacs edited by Franklin.

This issue contains Father Abraham's speech purporting to be spoken at an auction sale. It consists of Poor Richard's sayings as contained in all the issues of the almanac. This is Franklin's most popular composition. It has become famous under the names of *The Way to Wealth* and *La Science du Bonhomme Richard*, and is as popular today as when first written. It has been translated into nearly every language of Europe and into some of Asia. About 500 editions have been published.

TO | WILLIAM DENNY, ESQUIRE | Lieutenant Governor
 and Commander in Cheif of the | Province of Pennsylvania,
 &c. | The Address of the Trustees and Treasurer of the Friendly
 Association for re- | gaining and preserving Peace with the Indians
 by Pacific Measures. | Respectfully sheweth |

A four-page broadside printed by Franklin and Hall, but without their imprint. It is signed at the end, "Abel James, Clerk. Philadelphia, the 14th of the Seventh Month, 1757." 6:7 x 11:9.

Hildeburn 1565.

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1758

- 1758 ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo Primo. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, |
the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1757, in | the
Thirty-first Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II.
by the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Ad-
journments to the Se- | cond Day of January, 1758. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 375-390 4:12 x 9:3.
Tower 700. Hildeburn 1574.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo Primo. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, |
the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1757, in | the
Thirty-first Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II.
by the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Ad-
journments to the | Second Day of January, 1758. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 393-407. 4:11 x 9:3.
Tower 701. Hildeburn 1574.

ANNO TRICESIMO PRIMO | Georgii II. Regis.

The above is the heading on page 409. No title page was printed.
pp 409-427. 4:3 x 9, without catchword or side notes.
Tower 702. Hildeburn 1574.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Tricesimo Secundo. | At a General Assembly of
 the Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadel-
 phia, | the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1757, in |
 the Thirty-first Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II.
 by the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
 Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Ad-
 journments to the | Fourth Day of September, 1758. | [Penn
 Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
 New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLVIII.

1758

Title, 1 leaf; 431-436. 4:12 x 9:1.
 Tower 703. Hildeburn 1574.

HALL (DAVID)

A | Mite | Into The | Treasury; | Or, | Some serious Remarks on
 that solemn and | indispensable Duty of duly attending Assemblies |
 for divine Worship, incumbent upon all Persons | come to Years of
 Understanding (especially the | Professors of Truth) whilst favoured
 with Health, | Strength and Liberty; together with some due |
 Animadversions upon the Neglect thereof; as | also a Word of Con-
 solation to such sincere hearted | Friends, as are rendered incapable
 of personally | attending them, by reason of Old Age, some |
 bodily Disorder, or Confinement, &c. | To which is subjoined, |
 An Epistle to Friends of | Knaresborough Monthly-Meeting. | By
 David Hall. | [Eight lines of quotation] | London Printed: | Phila-
 delphia, Re-printed by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. 1758.

Title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-x; text, 1-53. 3:7 x 6:8.
 Hildeburn 1588.

David Hall was a Quaker schoolmaster in Skipton, Yorkshire. He
 was born in 1682 and died in 1756.

MINUTES | OF | CONFERENCES, | Held At | Easton, | In
 October, 1758, | With the Chief Sachems and Warriors of the
 Mohawks, | Oneidoes, Onondagoes, Cayugas, Senecas, Tuscaroras,

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1758

Tuteloës, Skaniada- | radigronos, consisting of the Nanticokes and
Conoys, who now make one | Nation; Chugnuts, Delawares, Una-
mies, Mahickanders, or Mohickons; | Minisinks, and Wapingers,
or Pump tons. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by
B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office, near the
Market. MDCCLVIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-31. 6:15 x 12:10.

Hildeburn 1593.

These conferences extended from October 7th to October 26th.

This copy is annotated in the margins by Benjamin Franklin for Lord
Shelburne, afterwards Prime Minister of England.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1759. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets,
and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:13 x 3:10.

Hildeburn 1603.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and the Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1759: | Being the Third after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

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pp (36). 3:2 x 5:15.
Hildeburn 1604.

The Poor Richard Almanac for 1759 was written by David Hall. In a letter written to Hall from London and dated April 8th, 1759, Franklin says, "I much doubt whether I shall be able to send you copy for the Almanack [for 1760]. I thought I should surely have sent it last year, having collected many materials which only wanted putting together, but sickness at Times, other Business, and various Interruptions disappointed me. If you do not receive it by the Pacquet that sails from hence in May, shift without it one year more as you did very well last Year, and before another, I hope to be at home."

1759

1759

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo Secundo. | At a General Assembly of
the Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, |
the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1758, in | the
Thirty-second Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II.
by the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Ad-
journments to the | Twenty-first Day of May, 1759. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLIX.

Title, 1 leaf; 487-513. 4:12 x 9:1.
Hildeburn 1616. Tower 705.

DELL (WILLIAM)

The | Doctrine | Of | Baptisms, | Reduced from its | Ancient
and Modern Corruptions; | And restored to its | Primitive Sound-
ness | And | Integrity: | According to the Word of Truth; the
Sub- | stance of Faith, and the Nature of | Christ's Kingdom. |
By William Dell, | Minister of the Gospel, and Master of Gonvil
and Caius | College, in Cambridge. | [Two lines of quotation] |
The Fifth Edition. | London Printed: | Philadelphia, Reprinted, by
B. Frank- | lin, and D. Hall. 1759.

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Title, 1 leaf; To the Reader, iii-iv; text, 5-43. 3:7 x 6:8.
Hildeburn 1625.

1759

William Dell was ordained as an Episcopal minister, but soon left the established church and became one of the most active of those who supported Cromwell and the Commonwealth. Many of his doctrines were approved by the Friends. He died in 1664. The first edition of *The Doctrine of Baptisms* was published in 1652.

FROM OUR YEARLY MEETING held at Philadelphia, | for
Pennsylvania and New-Jersey, | from the 22d Day of the Ninth
Month, to the 28th of | the same (inclusive) 1759. | To the Quar-
terly and Monthly Meetings of Friends belong- | ing to the said
Yearly Meeting. [Philadelphia: B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759.]

pp 3. 6:6 x 11.
Hildeburn 1627.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1760. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets,
and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:13 x 3:10.
Hildeburn 1643.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An- | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1760: | Being Bissextile, or Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining

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Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

1759

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:15.
Hildeburn 1644.

RUTTY (JOHN)

The | Liberty | Of The | Spirit | And Of The | Flesh | Distin-
guished: | In an Address to those Captives in Spirit | among the
People called Quakers, who are | commonly called Libertines. | By
John Ratty, | An unworthy Member of that Community. | [Eleven
lines of quotation] | Dublin, Printed: | Philadelphia, Re-printed by
B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. 1759.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-64. 3:8 x 6:8.
Hildeburn 1642.

John Ratty, M. D., born in Wiltshire in 1698, died in Dublin in 1775.
He was educated at Leyden. He was a zealous Friend. He wrote many
medical and religious books, among them being *History of the Quakers in
Ireland* and *Natural History of Dublin*.

1760

ANNO REGNI | Georgii II. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tricesimo Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the
Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
Fifteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1759, in | the Thirty-
third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign | Lord George II. by
the Grace of God, of | Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of | the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
Adjournments to the | Eleventh Day of February, 1760. | [Penn
Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLX.

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Title, 1 leaf; 3-45. 4:13 x 9:3.
Hildeburn 1656. Tower 708.

1760

DELL (WILLIAM)

The | Trial | Of | Spirits, | Both In | Teachers and Hearers. |
Wherein Is Held Forth | The clear Discovery, and certain
Down- | fal, of the Carnal and Anti-christian | Clergy of these
Nations. | Testified from the Word of God, to the | University
Congregations in Cambridge. | By William Dell, Minister of the |
Gospel, and Master of Gonvil and Caius College, in | Cambridge. |
London: | First printed in the Year 1666. | Philadelphia: Re-printed
by | B. Franklin, and D. Hall. MDCCLX.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-55. 3:7 x 6:4.
Hildeburn 1668.

The first edition of *The Trial of Spirits* was published in 1653.

LAW (WILLIAM)

An | Extract | From A | Treatise | By William Law, M. A. |
Called, | The Spirit of Prayer; | Or, | The Soul rising out of the Vanity
of | Time, into the Riches of Eternity. | Discovering the true Way
of turning to God, | and of finding the Kingdom of Heaven | the
Riches of Eternity in our Souls. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B.
Franklin, and D. Hall. 1760.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-47. 3:8 x 6:5.
Hildeburn 1681.

William Law, born in 1686, died in 1761. He was a high-church clergyman, educated at Cambridge. He was tutor to the historian Gibbon. His writings influenced the Wesleys and Whitefield. His most celebrated book is his *Serious Call to a Devout and Holy Life*.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1761. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |

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Printed and sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets,
and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:13 x 3:10.
Hildeburn 1698.

1760

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1761: | Being the First after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 6.
Hildeburn 1699.

1761

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Primo. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Four-
teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1760, in | the Thirty-fourth
Year of the Reign of our late Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, | of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender | of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
Adjournments to the Four- | teenth Day of March, 1761, in the First
Year of the | Reign of our Sovereign Lord George III. &c. | [Penn
Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXI.

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Title, 1 leaf; 49-98. 4:12 x 9:2.
Tower 709. Hildeburn 1714.

1761

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Primo. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Four-
teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1760, in | the Thirty-fourth
Year of the Reign of our late Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, | of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender |
of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the Twen- | ty-third Day of April, 1761, in the First Year of
the | Reign of our Sovereign Lord George III. &c. | [Penn
Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXI.

Title, 1 leaf; 101-103. 4:13 x 9:4.
Tower 710. Hildeburn 1714.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Primo. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Four-
teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1760, in | the Thirty-fourth
Year of the Reign of our late Sove- | reign Lord George II. by the
Grace of God, | of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, King, De-
fender | of the Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjourn-
ments to the Twen- | ty-sixth Day of September, 1761, in the First
Year of the | Reign of Our Sovereign Lord George III. &c. | [Penn
Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXI.

Title, 1 leaf; 107-125. 4:12 x 9:3.
Tower 711. Hildeburn 1714.

CONTINUATION | Of The | Account | Of The | Pennsylvania
Hospital; | From the First of May 1754, to the | Fifth of May
1761. | With an alphabetical List of the Contributors, | and of the

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Legacies which have been bequeathed, for Pro- | motion and Support
thereof, from its first Rise to that Time. | [Twelve lines of quotation] |
Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. MDCCLXI.

1761

Title, 1 leaf; 41-77. 5:8 x 7:15.
Hildeburn 1722.

MINUTES | OF | CONFERENCES, | Held At | Easton, | In
August, 1761. | With the Chief Sachems and Warriors of the |
Onondagoes, | Oneidas, | Mohickons, | Tuteloes, | Cayugas, | Nanti-
cokes, | Delawares, | Conoys.* | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed
and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-Office,
near the Market. MDCCLXI.

*The preceding eight names are arranged in two columns of four lines
each, with an ornament between.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-18. 7:1 x 12:11.
Hildeburn 1748.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon; |
For The | Year of our Lord 1762: | Being the Second after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:14.
Hildeburn 1764.

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1762

- 1762 ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Secundo. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
 ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
 Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1761, in | the First
 Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace
 of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of
 the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to
 the Seven- | tenth Day of February, 1762. | [Penn Arms] | Phila-
 delphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-
 Office, near the Market. MDCCLXII.
- Title, 1 leaf; 129-183. 4:12 x 9:2.
 Tower 714. Hildeburn 1784.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Secundo. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
 ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
 Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1761, in | the First
 Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the
 Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King,
 Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
 Adjournments to the | Twenty-sixth Day of March, 1762. | [Penn
 Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
 New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXII.

Title, 1 leaf; 187-211. 4:12 x 9:3.
 Tower 715. Hildeburn 1784.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Secundo. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
 ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
 Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1761, in | the First
 Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the

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Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King,
Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
Adjournments to the | Third Day of May, 1762. | [Penn Arms] |
Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- |
Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXII.

1762

Title, 1 leaf; 215-220. 4:13 x 9:3.
Tower 716. Hildeburn 1784.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1763. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets,
and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:13 x 3:10.
Hildeburn 1849.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1763: | Being the Third after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:15.
Hildeburn 1850.

THE CURTIS COLLECTION

WOOLMAN (JOHN)

1762

Considerations | On Keeping | Negroes; | Recommended to the
Professors of | Christianity, of every Denomination. | Part Second. |
By John Woolman. | [Four lines of quotation] | [Ornament] |
Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. 1762.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-52. 3:8 x 6:7.

Hildeburn 1863.

The first part was printed by James Chattin in 1754. John Woolman, celebrated Quaker preacher, was born in New Jersey in 1720, and he died of smallpox in England in 1772, while on a visit there. He wrote and spoke much against negro slavery. His most celebrated work was his *Journal*, which has gone through many editions and is read today with as much pleasure as when it was first published.

1763

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Fourteenth
Day of October, Anno Domini 1762, in | the Second Year of the
Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace of God, of
Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith,
&c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the | Fourth
Day of March, 1763. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and
Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Mar-
ket. MDCCLXIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 223-276. Folio.

Hildeburn 1869. Tower 717.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Fourteenth
Day of October, Anno Domini 1762, in | the Second Year of the
Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace of God, of

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Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith,
&c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the | Eighth
Day of July, 1763. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and
Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Mar-
ket. MDCCLXIII.

1763

Title, 1 leaf; 279-286. 4:11 x 9:2.
Tower 718. Hildeburn 1869.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Fourteenth
Day of October, Anno Domini 1762, in | the Second Year of the
Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace of God, of
Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith,
&c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the | Thirtieth
Day of September, 1763. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and
Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Mar-
ket. MDCCLXIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 289-296. 4:12 x 9:3.
Tower 719. Hildeburn 1869.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Tertio. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Fourteenth
Day of October, Anno Domini 1763, in | the Third Year of the
Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace of God, of
Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith,
&c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the | Twenty-
second Day of October, 1763. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed
and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the
Market. MDCCLXIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 299-311. 4:11 x 9:2.
Tower 720. Hildeburn 1870.

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[BLANK LEGAL FORM]

1763 To Attorney of | the Court of Common-Pleas at |
in the County of | in the Province | of | Or to any
other Attorney | of the said Court. | Whereas | [Several
blank lines] | by a certain Obligation bearing even Date herewith,
Do | stand bound unto | [Twenty-three printed lines with
numerous blank spaces] | touching or concerning the same. In
Witness whereof | have hereunto set | Hand and Seal
the | Day of | in the Year of our Lord |
One Thousand Seven Hundred and | Sealed and delivered
in | the Presence of us

Page two: blank.

Page three: Know all Men, by these Presents, | That |
[Several blank lines] | Held and firmly bound unto | [One
blank line] | in the Sum of | Lawful Money
of | to be paid | to the said | certain
Attorney, Executors, | Administrators or Assigns: To which Pay-
ment well | [Twenty printed lines, with numerous blank spaces] |
Sealed and Delivered in | the Presence of us | [Ornamental rule
across bottom of page] | Philadelphia: Printed by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

Page four: blank.

pp (4).

Not in Hildeburn.

The only known copy. This is a four-page printed legal blank with nothing on the second and fourth pages. The third page is identical with the first page of a four-page blank, with nothing printed on the second, third and fourth pages, which is owned by the American Philosophical Society, and which is filled in for November 15, 1763.

See facsimile, seven-eighths actual size, on pages 155 and 156.

MINUTES | OF | CONFERENCES, | Held At | Lancaster, | In
August, 1762. | With the Sachems and Warriors of several Tribes
of | Northern and Western Indians. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |

To *Attorney of*
the Court of Common-Pleas at
in the County of *in the Province*
of *Or to any other Attorney*
of the said Court.

WHEREAS

by a certain Obligation bearing even Date herewith, Do
stand bound unto

in the Sum of

conditioned

for the Payment of

with Interest for
the same, THESE are to desire and authorise You, or any
of You, to appear for in the said Court,
in an Action of Debt there brought; or to be brought,
against at the Suit of the said

on the said Obliga-
tion, as of or any other subsequent

there to be held, and confess Judgment thereupon
against for the said Sum of

Lawful Money
of Debt, besides Costs of Suit, by *Non*
sum informatus, Nil dicet, or otherwise, as to you shall seem
meet: And for Your or any of Your so doing, this shall
be Your sufficient Warrant. AND do hereby

remise, release, and for ever quit Claim
unto the said

Executors, Administrators and Assigns, all and all Manner of
Error and Errors, Mis-prisions, Mis-entries, Defects and Im-
perfections whatsoever in the entering the said Judgment, or
any Process or Proceeding thereon, or thereto, or any-wise
touching or concerning the same. IN WITNESS whereof

have hereunto set Hand and Seal the
Day of in the Year of our Lord
One Thousand Seven Hundred and

Scaled and delivered in
the Presence of us

K NOW all Men, by these Presents,
That

Held and firmly bound unto

in the Sum of

Lawful Money of to be paid
to the said

certain Attorney, Executors,
Administrators or Assigns: To which Payment well
and truly to be made,

Heirs, Executors
and Administrators,

firmly by these Presents. Sealed with Seal Dated
the Day of in the Year
of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and
and in the Year of the
Reign of our Sovereign Lord by
the Grace of God, King of *Great-Britain*, &c.

THE Condition of this Obligation is such,
That if the Above-bounden

Heirs, Executors, Administrators, or any of them, shall and
do well and truly pay, or cause to be paid unto the above-
named

certain Attorney, Executors, Administrators or
Assigns, the just and full Sum of
Lawful Money aforesaid, on the

without any Fraud or further
Delay, then the above Obligation to be void, or else to be
and remain in full Force and Virtue,

*Sealed and Delivered in
the Presence of us*

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Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the | New-Printing-
Office, near the Market. MDCCLXIII.

Title, 1 leaf; 3-36. 7:1 x 12:11.
Hildeburn 1908.

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A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1764. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets,
and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:13 x 3:10.
Hildeburn 1919.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1764: | Being Bissextile, or Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
D. Hall.

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:14.
Hildeburn 1920.

VOTES | AND | PROCEEDINGS | Of The | House of Representa-
tives | Of The | Province of Pennsylvania, | Met at Philadelphia,
on the Fourteenth of October, Anno | Domini 1762, and continued

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1764 by Adjournments | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New Printing-Office, | near the Market. MDCCLXIII.

Title, 1 leaf; votes, Oct. 4, 1762, et seq., pp 3-36; votes, Mar. 28, et seq., 37-42; votes, July 4, et seq., pp 43-48; votes, Sept. 12, et seq., pp 49-67; Incidental Charges, p (68). 7:1 x 12:11.

Hildeburn 1932.

1764

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae & Hiberniae, | Quarto. | At a General Assembly of the Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1763, in | the Third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the | Twenty-fourth Day of March, 1764. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 315-330. 4:11 x 9:2.

Tower 721. Hildeburn 1950.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae & Hiberniae, | Quarto. | At a General Assembly of the Province of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1763, in | the Third Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to the | Thirtieth Day of May, 1764. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXIV.

Title, 1 leaf; 333-358. 4:11 x 9:2.

Tower 722. Hildeburn 1950—second title.

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ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Quarto. | At a General Assembly of the Province
 of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Four-
 teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1763, in | the Third Year of
 the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace of
 God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender
 of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to
 the | Twenty-second Day of September, 1764. | [Penn Arms] | Phila-
 delphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-
 Office, near the Market. MDCCLXIV.

1764

Title, 1 leaf; 361-369. 4:11 x 9:2.
 Tower 723. Hildeburn 1950.

THE | CHARTER, | Laws, | And | Catalogue of Books, | Of The |
 Library Company | Of | Philadelphia. | Communiter bona pro-
 fundere Deûm est. | Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin and D.
 H II. | M,DCC,LXIV.

Title, 1 leaf; charter, etc., 3-26; catalogue, 1-143; medals, 145-148;
 list of members, 149-150. 3:8 x 6:14.
 Hildeburn 1964.

This is the fifth catalogue of the books of the Library Company printed
 by Franklin. He printed other catalogues in 1735, 1741, 1746, and 1757.

EXPLANATORY REMARKS on the Assembly's | Resolves,
 published in the Pennsylvania Gazette, No. 1840.

pp 2. 7:8 x 12:9.
 Hildeburn 1987.

A broadside in support of the assembly's resolution asking for the
 substitution of a royal for the proprietary government of the province.

BEYLAGÉ zum 150ten Stück des Philadelphischen Staatsboten. |
 Protestation | gegen die Bestellung | Herrn Benjamin Franklins
 zu einem Agenten für | diese Provinz.

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Protest, 1 page; Franklin's *Remarks*, 2-4. 8:5 x 13:9.
Hildeburn 1993. Ford 279.

1764

A broadside protest against Franklin's appointment as agent for the Colony of Pennsylvania, with Franklin's *Remarks* upon it.

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]

Remarks | On A Late | Protest | Against the Appointment of |
Mr. Franklin an Agent | for this Province. [Philadelphia: Printed
by B. Franklin and D. Hall. 1764.]

pp 7. 3:10 x 6:1.

Hildeburn 1994. The title takes only the upper half of page 1, and is followed by two paragraphs of the text.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1765. | Fitted to the
Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets,
and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:13 x 3:12.

Hildeburn 2056.

POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
For The | Year of our Lord 1765: | Being the First after Leap-
Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible

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Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders, Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and D. Hall.

1764

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:15.
Hildeburn 2057.

TO THE | KING'S Most Excellent | Majesty in Council, | The
Petition of the Freeholders | and Inhabitants of the Province
of Pensilvania. Most humbly sheweth, | etc. [Philadelphia: B.
Franklin and D. Hall, 1764]

Broadside; pp 2; 1 blank leaf; no title page; half title at top of page one. 4:11 x 9:3.

Hildeburn 2038, without collation.

A petition showing the disadvantage of proprietary government in general, calling attention to the fact that all had been surrendered to the crown except two, one of which was Pennsylvania, and praying His Majesty to take the government into his own hands.

Hall says that three hundred copies of the petition were printed.

1765

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
& Hiberniae, | Quinto. | At a General Assembly of the Province
of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Four-
teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1764, in | the Fourth Year
of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George III. by the Grace of
God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of
the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments
to the | Fifteenth Day of February, 1765. | [Penn Arms] | Phila-
delphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-
Office, near the Market. MDCCLXV.

Title, 1 leaf; 373-410. 4:11 x 9:2.
Tower 724. Hildeburn 2102.

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 & Hiberniae, | Quinto. | At a General Assembly of the Province
 of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the Four-
 teenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1764, in | the Fourth Year
 of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the Grace
 of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of
 the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by Adjournments to
 the | Eighteenth Day of May, 1765. | [Penn Arms] | Philadelphia: |
 Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the New- | Printing-Office,
 near the Market. MDCCLXV.

Title, 1 leaf; 413-428. 4:10 x 9:2.
 Hildeburn 2102. Tower 725.

ANNO REGNI | Georgii III. | Regis, | Magnae Britanniae, Franciae
 & Hiberniae, | Quinto. | At a General Assembly of the Prov-
 ince of Penn- | sylvania, begun and holden at Philadelphia, | the
 Fourteenth Day of October, Anno Domini 1764, in | the Fourth
 Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord | George III. by the
 Grace of God, of Great- | Britain, France and Ireland, King,
 Defender of the | Faith, &c. | And from thence continued by
 Adjournments to the | Twenty-first Day of September, 1765. | [Penn
 Arms] | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, at the
 New- | Printing-Office, near the Market. MDCCLXV.

Title, 1 leaf; 431-448. 4:11 x 9:3.
 Tower 726. Hildeburn 2102.

A POCKET | ALMANACK | For the Year 1766. | Fitted to the
 Use of Penn- | sylvania, and the neighbour- | ing Provinces. |
 With several useful Additions. | By R. Saunders, Phil. | Philadelphia: |
 Printed and sold by B. Franklin, | and D. Hall. | Signs, Planets,
 and Aspects. | [Twelve lines of quotation]

pp (24). 1:13 x 3:12.
 Hildeburn 2165.

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POOR RICHARD IMPROVED: | Being An | Almanack | And |
 Ephemeris | Of The | Motions of the Sun and Moon; | The
 True | Places and Aspects of the Planets; | The | Rising and Setting
 of the Sun; | And The | Rising, Setting and Southing of the Moon, |
 For The | Year of our Lord 1766: | Being the Second after Leap-
 Year. | Containing also, | The Lunations, Conjunctions, Eclipses,
 Judg- | ment of the Weather, Rising and Setting of the | Planets,
 Length of Days and Nights, Fairs, Courts, | Roads, &c. Together
 with useful Tables, chro- | nological Observations, and entertaining
 Remarks. | Fitted to the Latitude of Forty Degrees, and a Meridian
 of near | five Hours West from London; but may, without sensible
 Error, | serve all the Northern Colonies. | By Richard Saunders,
 Philom. | Philadelphia: | Printed and Sold by B. Franklin, and
 D. Hall.

1765

pp (36). 3:2 x 5:14.
 Hildeburn 2166.

1766

[LETCHWORTH (THOMAS)]

A | Morning and Evening's | Meditation, | Or, A | Descant | On
 The | Times. | A | Poem. | By T. L. | [Eight lines of quotation] |
 London, Printed. | Philadelphia, Re-printed and Sold by B. | Franklin
 and D. Hall. 1766.

Title, 1 leaf; iii-iv, 5-58. 3:13 x 6:12.
 Hildeburn 2232.

Thomas Letchworth, of London, was a prominent Quaker minister. He was born in 1739, and he died in 1784.

This is the last book issued with Franklin's imprint. Five hundred copies were printed.

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Pennsylvania Currency

Twenty | No. | Twenty Shillings. | This Bill shall pass |
current for Twenty Shillings | within the Province of Pennsylvania, |
according to an Act | of General Assem- | bly of the said Pro- | vince
made in the | 29th Year of the | Reign of King | George II. | Dated
Jan. 1, 1756. | Twenty Shillings. | B | Twenty XX Shill

“Twenty Shillings” on each side of border.

Reverse: Twenty Shill. | To Counterfeit is Death. | Printed by
B. Franklin, and | D. Hall.

2:10 x 3:6.

Twenty | No. | Twenty Shillings. | This Bill shall pass |
current for Twenty Shillings | within the Province of Pennsylvania, |
according to an Act | of Assembly, made | in the 31st Year | of the
Reign of | King George | II. Dated May 20, | 1758. | Twenty Shill. |
A | Twenty XX Shill

“Twenty Shillings” on each side of border.

Reverse: Twenty Shill. | To Counterfeit is Death | Printed by
B. Franklin, and | D. Hall. 1758.

2:8 x 3:8.

Five Pounds | No. | Five Pounds. | This indented Bill |
shall pass current for Five Pounds | within the Province of Penn-
sylvania, | according to an Act | of Assembly of the | said Province,
made | in the 32d Year of | the Reign of King | George II. | Dated
June 21, 1759 | Five Pounds. B

“Five Pounds” printed on each side and below.

Reverse: Five Pounds | One Hundred Shillings. | To Counterfeit
is Death. | Printed by B. Franklin, and | D. Hall. 1759. | Five
Pounds

Printed in black and red. 2:14 x 3:7.

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Twenty | No. | Twenty Shillings. | This Bill shall pass |
current for Twenty Shillings | within the Province of Pennsylvania, |
according to an Act | of Assembly, made | in the 33d Year | of the
Reign of | King George | II. Dated May 1, | 1760. | Twenty Shill. |
A | Twenty XX Shill

“Twenty Shillings” on each side of border.

Reverse: Twenty Shill. | To Counterfeit is Death | Printed by
B. Franklin, and | D. Hall. 1760.

2:12 x 3:6.

Twenty | No. | Twenty Shillings. | This Bill shall pass |
current for Twenty Shillings | within the Province of Pennsylvania, |
according to an Act | of Assembly, made in | the Fourth Year | of
the Reign of King | George III. | Dated the 18th Day | of June,
1764. | Twenty Shill. | B | Twenty XX Shill

“Twenty Shillings” on each side of border.

Reverse: To Counterfeit is Death. | Printed by B. Franklin,
and | D. Hall. 1764

2:12 x 3:8.

Three Pence | Three Pence. | This Bill shall pass | cur-
rent for Three-pence, | within the Province of Pennsil- | vania,
according to an Act of | Assembly, made in | the 4th Year | of the
Reign | of King Geo. | III. Dated the | 18th Day of | June, 1764. |
Threepence. | 3d. | C | III•P₃

Ornamental border.

Reverse, in center: Printed by B. Frank- | lin, and D. Hall. |
1764.

“Three-Pence.” printed around each corner.

2:4 x 2:10.

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466-469, November 10-17 to December 1-8.
Hildeburn 558.

1738-9, 1739

526-563, January 4-11 to September 20-27.
Colophon of 526-563: Philadelphia: | Printed by B. Franklin, Post-
Master. | At the New Printing Office near the Market. Price 10s. a Year. |
Where Advertisements are taken in, and Book-Binding is done reasonably,
in the best manner.

Hildeburn 604.
No. 527 is numbered 257.

1748

1002, February 23.
1038, November 3.
Hildeburn 1088.

1749

1091, November 9, first half.
Hildeburn 1146.

1751

1163-1176, March 28-June 27.
1178-1203, July 11-December 31.
Supplements to 1172-1175.
Hildeburn 1232.

1752

1204-1253, January 7-December 26.
Supplement to 1241.
Hildeburn 1272.

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1753

1253-1277, January 2-June 14.
1282, July 19, first half.
1285, August 9, first half.
Hildeburn 1272.

1755

1363, February 4, first half.
1364, February 11.
1374, April 24.
1378-1384, April 22-July 3.
1386-1389, July 17-August 7.
1390, August 14, first half.
1391-1399, August 21-October 16.
1401-1402, October 30-November 6.
1404-1407, November 20-December 11.
1409, December 25.
Supplement to 1384, 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 1428.

1756

1410-1411, January 1-January 8.
1412, January 15, second half.
1413-1421, January 22-March 18.
1423-1428, April 1-May 6.
1430-1436, May 20-July 1.
1438, July 15.
1441-1449, August 5-September 30.
1450, October 7, second half.
1451, October 14, first half.
1452-1457, October 21-November 25.
Hildeburn 1493.

1757

January 13, second half.
August 4, second half.
Hildeburn 1549.

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1758

1515-1566, January 5-December 28.

Lacks:

1523-1525, March 2-March 16.

1531, April 27.

1533, May 11.

1539-1540, June 22-June 29.

1549, August 31, first half.

1553, September 29.

Hildeburn 1600.

1759

1567-1618, January 4-December 27.

Lacks:

1590, June 14.

1596, July 26.

1603-1605, September 13-September 27.

1610, November 1.

1612, November 15.

1617, December 20, first half.

Hildeburn 1638.

1760

1619-1670, January 3-December 25.

Lacks:

1619, January 3, first half.

1641, June 5.

1655, September 11.

1670, December 25, first half.

Hildeburn 1692.

1761

1676, February 5.

1680, March 5.

1684, April 2.

1686, April 16.

1689-1691, April 23-May 21.

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1699, July 16.
1701, July 30.
Hildeburn 1757.

1762

1734, March 18.
1739, April 22.
1741, May 6.
1746, June 10.
1768, November 11.
Hildeburn 1842.

1763

1822-1825, November 24-December 15.
Hildeburn 1914.

1764

1829-1879, January 12-December 27.
Hildeburn 2035.
This year is complete except for No. 1828, January 5.

1765

1881-1929, January 7-December 12.
"Remarkable Occurrences," 4 pp Supplement, which takes the place of 1925.

Lacks:

1924, November 7.
1930-1931, December 19-December 26.
Hildeburn 2156.

No. 1924 is a one-leaf sheet headed, "No Stamped Paper to be had."

The issue of Oct. 31st, No. 1923, is bordered with heavy black mourning lines, and contains the following announcement: "Philadelphia, October 31—We are sorry to be obliged to acquaint our readers that as the most unconstitutional act that ever these colonies could have imagined, to wit, The Stamp Act, is feared to be obligatory upon us, after the First of November ensuing (the Fatal To-morrow) the publishers of this Paper, unable to bear the burthen, have thought it expedient to stop a while,

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in order to deliberate, whether any methods can be found to elude the Chains forged for them, and escape the insupportable Slavery; which it is hoped, from the just Representations now made against this act, may be effected, &c."

1766

1932-1983, January 2-December 25.

This year is complete. Nos. 1932-1936 have no imprint; No. 1937 was "Printed by David Hall."

Hildeburn 2243.

1767

1984-2000, January 1-April 23.

2002-2006, May 7-June 4.

2009-2031, June 25-November 26.

2033-2036, December 10-December 31.

Hildeburn 3316.

Printed by Hall and Sellers.

1768

2049, March 31.

2054-2055, May 5-May 12.

2063-2064, July 7-July 14.

2076, October 6.

2084, December 1.

Postscripts to 2076, 2079.

Hildeburn 2382.

1769

2089-2137, January 5-December 7.

2139-2140, December 21-December 28.

Supplement to 2106.

Hildeburn 2473.

1770

2141-2192, January 4-December 27 (none missing).

Supplements to 2147, 2149-2150, 2158-2163, 2165-2166, 2168-2169, 2174.

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Postscripts to 2152, 2157-2158, 2160.
Lacks Supplements to 2141, 2146, 2148, 2151-2152, 2164, 2167, 2170-
2172, 2175.
Lacks Postscripts to 2159, 2161.
Hildeburn 2576.

1771

2193-2236, January 3-October 31.
2238-2241, November 14-December 5.
Postscript extraordinary to 2112 (really 2212).
Lacks 2237, 2242-2244.
Lacks Supplements to 2207-2209, 2213, 2217, 2226, 2236.
Lacks Postscripts to 2205 (List of Prizes), 2211.
Hildeburn 2692.

1772

2245-2246, January 2-January 9.
2250-2251, February 6-February 13.
2253, February 27.
2264-2275, May 14-July 29.
2280-2281, September 2-September 9.
2285-2288, October 7-October 28.
2290, November 11, second half.
2295, December 16.
2297, December 30.
Supplement to 2288.
Postscripts to 2283, 2287.
Hildeburn 2803.

1773

2298-2322, January 6-June 23.
2323, June 30, second half.
2324-2325, July 7-July 14.
2327-2339, July 28-October 20.
2342, November 10.
2344-2348, November 24-December 22.
Supplements to 2333, 2345, 2347.

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Postscripts to 2324, 2346.
Hildeburn 2913.

1774

2350-2401, January 5-December 28.
Supplements to 2367-2368, 2387, 2392.
Postscripts to 2365, 2374, 2377, 2379, 2383, 2386, 2393-2394.
Hildeburn 3074.

1775

2402-2403, January 4-January 11.
2406-2413, February 1-March 22.
2415-2416, April 5-April 12.
2418-2438, April 26-September 13.
2440-2443, September 20-October 18.
2446-2451, November 8-December 13.
2453, December 27.
Supplement to 2405.
Postscripts to 2406, 2418.
Hildeburn 3253.

1776

2455, January 10.
2464-2468, March 13-April 10.
2472, May 22.
2477, June 12.
2480, July 3.
2486, August 14.
2488, August 28.
2491, September 18.
2494-2497, October 9-October 30.
Hildeburn 3442.
None published in 1776 after No. 2501, November 27.

1777

2502-2503, February 5-February 12.
2505-2509, February 26-March 26.
2512-2519, April 16-June 4.

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2521, June 18.
2523-2530, July 2-August 20.
Hildeburn 3597.
None was published in 1777 before No. 2502, February 5: nor after No.
2533, September 10.

1779

2564-2566, August 4-August 18.
2568, September 1.
2572-2574, September 29-October 13.
2576-2577, October 27-November 3.
2580, November 24, first half.
Hildeburn 3925.

1780

2597, March 22.
2610, June 21.
2615, July 26.
Hildeburn 4036.

1781

2657, May 16.
Hildeburn 4135.

1782

2703, April 3.
2708, May 8.
2721, August 7.
2727-2729, September 18-October 2.
2731, October 16.
2738-2741, December 4-December 24.
Supplement to 2727.
Hildeburn 4229.

1783

2744-2784, January 15-October 22.
2786-2794, November 5-December 31.
Hildeburn 4334.

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1784

2796-2811, January 14-April 21.
2813-2847, May 5-December 29.
Hildeburn 4530.

1785

2848-2900, January 5-December 28.
Supplements to 2863 and 2883.
This year is complete.

1786

2901-2911, January 4-March 15.
2913-2927, March 29-July 5.
2930, July 26.
2932-2952, August 9-December 27.
Supplement to 2921.

1787

2954-2955, January 10-January 17.
2957-2963, January 31-March 14.
2965-3003, March 28-December 19.
Supplements to 2963-2964.

1788

3005-3035, January 2-July 30.
3036, August 6, first half.
3037-3051, August 13-November 19.
3054-3057, December 10-December 31.
Lacks second half of 3036.

1789

3060, January 21.
3062, February 4.
3068, March 18.
3070-3090, April 1-August 19.

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3092-3094, September 2-September 16.
3101-3102, November 4-November 11.
3104, November 25.
3106-3107, December 9-December 16.
3109, December 30.

1790

3123, April 21 (containing notice of the death of Franklin).
3132-3142, June 9-August 18.
3157-3158, December 1-December 8.

1791

3162-3208, January 5-November 23.
3210-3213, December 7-December 28.

1792

3214-3226, January 4-March 28.
3228-3236, April 11-June 6.
3239-3250, June 13-August 29.
3252-3255, September 12-October 3.
3257-3266, October 17-December 19.

1793

3268-3274, January 2-February 13.
3276-3281, February 27-April 3.
3283-3287, April 17-May 15.
3291-3295, June 12-July 10.
3297-3298, July 24-July 31.
3300, August 14.
3302-3303, August 28-September 4.
3308-3310, December 11-December 24.
Supplements to 3282, 3310.

1794

3311, January 1.
3313-3322, January 15-March 19.

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3326-3333, April 16-June 4.
3336-3338, June 25-July 9.
3340-3341, July 23-August 6.
3343*-3347, August 13-September 10.
3350, October 1.
3352, October 15.
3355, November 5.
3357-3358, November 19-November 26.
3360-3362†, December 10-December 31.
Supplement to 3344.

*Note the irregularity of numbering of the August 6 and August 13 issues.

†The issues of both December 24 and December 31 are numbered 3362.

1795

3364-3367, January 7-January 28.
3369-3399, February 11-September 9.
3401, September 23.
3403-3415, October 7-December 30.

1796

3447, August 10.
3458, October 26.

1800

3605-3606, January 22-January 29.
3611, March 5.
3613, March 19.
3616, April 9.
3620-3628, May 7-July 2.
3633, August 6.
3636-3639, August 27-September 17.
3643, October 15.
3646, November 5.
3648, November 19.
3650, December 3.
3653-3654, December 24-December 31.

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1801

3655-3669, January 7-April 15.
3673-3676, May 13-June 3.
3679, June 24.
3682, July 15.
3687, August 19.
3695, October 14.
3702, December 2.

1802

3708, January 13.
3718, March 24, first half.
3720, April 7.
3758, December 29.

1804

3814-3832, January 25-May 30.

1805

3874-3878, March 20-April 17.
3880, May 1.
3883, May 22.
3886, June 12.
3888, June 26.
3890-3893, July 10-July 31.
3895-3898, August 14-September 4.
3900-3903, September 18-October 9.
3908-3914, November 13-December 25.

1806

3916-3917, January 8-January 15.
3921-3926, February 12-March 19.
3928-3930, April 2-April 16.
3933, May 7.
3936-3941, May 28-July 2.
3943-3952, July 16-September 17.

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Passy Press

NUMB. 705. | Supplement | To The Boston | Independent Chronicle.

One page broadside. 8:13 x 12:15.

Livingston 17.

A detailed account of the purchase of scalps by the British Government, the scalps having been taken from American men, women and children by Seneca Indians. The paper was written by Franklin to show the enormity of the British practice. The account was true in the main although the incidents were invented.

PASSY, ce 17 | Messieurs, | J'ai reçu les Procès ver-
baux, & les autres Papiers, que | [Seventeen lines] | J'ai l'honneur
d'être, | Messieurs, | Vôte très humble, & | très obeissant Serviteur,

Broadside, 1 page, printed on sheet 8 x 12:4. 5:7 x 6:12.

Livingston 24.

LS. PUB. ACC. | Passy, 178 | Pay to |
or Order, the Sum of | Livres Tournois, to assist
in returning to the | United States of America; being lately from
Prison in | England. ---- Charge the same to the Publick | Account
of, | Sir, | Your humble Servant,

To Mr. Grand, Banker, | Ruë Montmartre, vis-a-vis | St. Joseph, |
à Paris.

Broadside, 1 page, 4:13 x 3:3.

Livingston 25.

IN CONGRESS, | May 2, 1780. | Instructions | To The | Captains
And Commanders | Of Private Armed Vessels | Which shall
have Commissions or Letters | of Marque and Reprisal.

Broadside, pp (2). 6:2 x 10:9.

Livingston 29.

Signed by Charles Thomson, Secretary. Printed by Franklin at Passy.

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

KNOW ALL MEN by these presents, that We | [Several
blank lines] | are held and firmly bound to | Esquire,
treasurer of the | United States of America, in the penalty of Twenty
Thousand Spanish | Milled Dollars, or other money equivalent
thereto, to be paid to the said | [Twenty-seven lines] | Signed, sealed,
and delivered, | in presence of

Broadside, 6:2 x 7:13 on sheet 8 x 12:4.

Livingston 30.

Limiting the powers of holders of letters of marque of the United
States. Printed by Franklin at Passy.

A Short-Title
Check List *of all* Known
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SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

1718 I have included in the list all the books printed by James Franklin and Samuel Keimer during the time that Franklin was with them, assigning to them a separate system of numbers, and have marked with an asterisk those items on which he mentions having been employed.

James Franklin 1718-1723

1718

X₁

DORRINGTON (THEOPHILUS). A Familiar Guide to the Right and Profitable receiving of the Lord's Supper. Seventh edition. Reprinted by J. Franklin, 1718.

12mo.

Evans 1954. c

X₂

[a] PRINCE (THOMAS). Sermon delivered on Wednesday, October 1, 1718, etc. Boston: J. Franklin, for S. Gerrish, 1718. pp (8), 76, (4), 15.

[b] PEMBERTON (EBENEZER). A Discourse of the Validity of Ordination by the Hands of Presbyters. Boston: J. Franklin, for S. Gerrish, 1718.

Sm 8vo; pp (4), 15.

Evans 1996.

1719

X₃

BERNARD (RICHARD). The Isle of Man. Boston: Reprinted by J. Franklin, for B. Eliot, 1719.

12mo; pp (16), 126.

Evans 2012.

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X₄

THE BOSTON GAZETTE. Boston: J. Franklin, 1719. No. 1 (Dec. 14-21)
and No. 2 (Dec. 21-28).

Folio.

Evans 2013.

1719

X₅

A CATALOGUE of Curious and Valuable Books. To be sold by Auction on
Monday 26th of October, 1719. Printed by J. Franklin, 1719.

Sm 8vo; title, 1 leaf; pp 1-18.

Curtis Collection. Not in Evans.

X₆

COLMAN (BENJAMIN). Some Reasons and Arguments offered to the
Good People of Boston. Boston: J. Franklin, 1719.

12mo; pp 14.

Evans 2019.

*X₇

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)] [The Lighthouse Tragedy. Boston: James
Franklin, 1719.]

Broadside(?)

Ford 1. t c

*X₈

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)] [The Taking of Teach, the Pirate. Boston:
James Franklin, 1719.]

Broadside(?)

Ford 2. t c

X₉

HODDER (JAMES). Hodder's Arithmetic. Boston: J. Franklin, 1719.

16mo; pp 12, 216; portrait.

Evans 2026.

X₁₀

JENKS (JOSEPH). A Reply to the Principal Arguments Contained in a
Book, entitled "The Baptism of the Holy Spirit, etc." [Boston: James
Franklin] 1719.

Sm 8vo; pp v, 70, (1).

Evans 2027.

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

X11

- 1719 MATHER (COTTON). *Vigilius. Or, the Awakener.* Boston: J. Franklin,
1719.
8vo; pp (2), 14.
Evans 2048.

X12

- STODDARD (SOLOMON). *A Treatise Concerning the Nature of Saving
Conversion.* Boston: J[ames] F[ranklin], for D. Henchman, 1719.
12mo; pp (2), 143, (1).
Evans 2072.

1720

X13

- THE BOSTON GAZETTE. Boston: J. Franklin, 1720. No. 3 (Dec. 28-
Jan. 4) to No. 33 (July 25-Aug. 1).
Evans 2013.

X14

- COLMAN (BENJAMIN). *A Vindication of the New-North-Church in
Boston.* Boston: J. Franklin, for D. Henchman, 1720.
8vo; pp (2), 14.
Evans 2104.

X15

- A LETTER from One in the Country to his Friend in Boston. Boston:
J. Franklin, for D. Henchman, 1720.
12mo; pp (2), 22.
Evans 2128.

X16

- ROBIE (THOMAS). *A Letter to a Certain Gentleman desiring a particular
Account may be given of a wonderful Meteor.* Boston: James Franklin,
for Daniel Henchman, 1720.
8vo; pp 8.
Evans 2171.

X17

- STONE (SAMUEL). *A Short Catechism drawn out of the Word of God.*
Boston: J. Franklin, for D. Henchman, 1720.
8vo; pp (2), 13.
Evans 2181.

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

1721

X18

CARE (HENRY). English Liberties, or The Free-Born Subject's Inheritance. Fifth edition. Boston: J. Franklin, for N. Buttolph, B. Eliot, and D. Henchman, 1721.

12mo, pp (12), 288.

Evans 2208.

X19

CLAGGETT (WILLIAM). A Looking-Glass for Elder Clarke and Elder Wightman, and the Church under their Care. [Boston: James Franklin] for J. Rhodes, J. Rogers, W. Claggett & Co., 1721.

Sm 8vo; pp 26, 230.

Evans 2209.

**X20*

THE NEW ENGLAND COURANT. No. 1 (Aug. 7, 1721) to No. 21 (Dec. 25, 1721). Boston: James Franklin, 1721.

Folio.

Evans 2268.

X21

NEWS from the Moon. A Review of the State of the British Nation. Vol. 7, Numb. 14, page 53—Tuesday, May 2, 1810. [Boston: J. Franklin 1721]

16mo; pp 8.

Evans 2281.

X22

PAINE (THOMAS). A Discourse Shewing that the real first Cause of the straights and difficulties of this Province of the Massachusetts Bay is its extravagancy & not paper money. By Philopatria. Boston: J. Franklin, 1721.

8vo; pp 16.

Evans 2283.

X23

TUFTS (JOHN). A Very Plain and Easy Introduction to the Art of Singing Psalm Tunes. [Colophon] Boston: J. F.[ranklin], for S. Gerrish, 1721.

Obl 12mo; pp (4), 12.

Evans 2297.

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

X24

- 1721 WALTER (THOMAS). The Grounds and Rules of Musick explained.
Boston: J. Franklin, for S. Gerrish, 1721.
8vo.
Evans 2303.

X25

- WISE (JOHN). A Friendly Check, from a kind Relation. To the Chief
Cannoneer. [Boston: J. Franklin, 1721.]
16mo; pp 7.
Evans 2310.

X26

- WISE (JOHN). A Word of Comfort to a Melancholy Country. By Amicus
Patriae. Boston: J. Franklin, 1721.
16mo; pp (4), 68.
Evans 2311.

1722

X27

- THE PSALMS, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs, of the Old and New-Testament:
Faithfully translated into English Meeter. Twentieth [Twenty-first?]
edition. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.
12mo; pp 312.
Evans 2317.

X28

- COLMAN (BENJAMIN). Jacob's Vow upon his leaving his Father's
House. Boston: James Franllin [sic] 1722.
8vo; pp (4), 20.
Evans 2325.

X29

- DOUGLASS (WILLIAM). The Abuses and Scandals of some late pamphlets
in favour of Inoculation of the Small-Pox. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.
8vo; pp (4), 18.
Evans 2331.

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

X₃₀

DOUGLASS (WILLIAM). Inoculation of the Small-Pox as Practised in
Boston. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.

8vo; pp (4), 20.

Evans 2332.

1722

X₃₁

DOUGLASS (WILLIAM). Postscript. Being a Short Answer to Matters of
Fact, &c. Misrepresented in a late Doggrel Dialogue. Boston: J.
Franklin, 1722.

8vo.

Evans 2333.

X₃₂

ENGLISH ADVICE to the Freeholders &c. of the Province of the Massa-
chusetts-Bay. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.

8vo; pp (2), 6.

Evans 2335.

X₃₃

HOOP PETTICOATS, Arraigned and Condemned by the Light of Nature
and Law of God. Boston: James Franklin, 1722.

16mo; pp 8.

Evans 2341.

X₃₄

MATHER (COTTON). Bethiah. The Glory which Adorns the Daughters of
God. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.

12mo; pp 60.

Evans 2353.

X₃₅

MATHER (COTTON). Repeated Admonitions. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.

8vo.

Evans 2359.

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THE NEW ENGLAND COURANT, No. 22 (Jan. 1, 1722) to No. 74
(Dec. 31, 1722). Boston: James Franklin, 1722.

Folio.

Evans 2364

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

- X₃₇*
- 1722 RUSTICUS. A Friendly Debate; or, A Dialogue between Rusticus and Academicus. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.
12mo; pp 12.
Evans 2386.
- X₃₈*
- SYMMES (THOMAS). Sermon at the Ordination of Joseph Emerson in Malden. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.
12mo.
Evans 2389.
- X₃₉*
- VINCENT (NATHANIEL). A Discourse on Forgiveness. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.
Sm. 8vo; pp (4), 36.
Evans 2394.
- X₄₀*
- WALTER (THOMAS). The Sweet Psalmist of Israel. Boston: J. Franklin, for S. Gerrish, 1722.
Sm. 8vo; pp (6), 28.
Evans 2402, with incorrect collation.
- X₄₁*
- WALTER (THOMAS). The Sweet Psalmist of Israel. Boston: J. Franklin, for T. Fleet, 1722.
8vo; pp (8), 28.
Evans 2403.
- X₄₂*
- WINSTANLEY (WILLIAM). The New Help to Discourse. Eighth edition. Boston: J. Franklin, 1722.
12mo.
Evans 2408. c
- 1723
- X₄₃*
- JACOB (ELIZABETH HEAD). An Epistle in True Love. Boston: J. Franklin, 1723.
8vo; pp 16.
Evans 2434.

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X44

KNAPP (FRANCIS). *Gloria Britannorum; or, the British Worthies.*
Boston: J. Franklin, 1723.

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8vo; pp 32.
Evans 2438.

**X45*

THE NEW ENGLAND COURANT, No. 75 (Jan. 7, 1723) to No. 79
(Feb. 4, 1723). Boston: James Franklin.

No. 80 (Feb. 11, 1723) to No. 126 (Dec. 30, 1723). Boston: Benjamin
Franklin.

Evans 2462. There have been several facsimile reprints of No. 80.

The Courant continued to bear Benjamin Franklin's name, until it was
discontinued in 1726.

1724—Nos. 127-178 (Jan. 6 to Dec. 28). Evans 2566.

1725—Nos. 179-230 (Jan. 4 to Dec. 25). Evans 2681.

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Notice, Signed James Logan, and dated 12th of the 12th Month [Feb-
ruary] 1742, concerning payment of quit-rents due to Lætitia Aubrey.
Hildeburn 741.

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ALSO SANG Ihrem Gotte aufm Throne. B. Franklin. [1742]
Sm 4to; pp 4.
Hildeburn 742.

232

AT A COUNCIL held at Philadelphia, May 17, 1742. [B. Franklin, 1742]
Folio; pp 12.
Hildeburn 745.

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- [a] AUTHENTISCHE RELATION Von dem Anlass. B. Franklin. [1742]
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- [b] AUTHENTISCHE NACHRICHT. B. Franklin. [1742]
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- [d] VIERTE GENERAL-VERSAMMLUNG der Kirche Gottes. B.
 Franklin. [1742]
 Sq 8vo; title, 1 leaf; 59-76.
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- [e] GRÜNDLICHE AN-UND AUFFORDERUNG. B. Franklin, 1742.
 Sq 8vo; title, 1 leaf; pp 3-14.
 Errata on last page corrects paging to 79-90.
 Hildeburn 747 [e].
 By Johann Adam Gruber.
- [f] EXTRACT Aus Unsers Conferenz-Schreibers Johann Jacob Müllers.
 B. Franklin. [1742]
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 Hildeburn 747 [f].
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234

BALL (W.). The New Jersey Almanack for 1743. B. Franklin, 1742.
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235

BECHTEL (J.). Kurzer Catechismus. B. Franklin, 1742.
 12mo; pp 42.
 Printed in Roman type.
 Hildeburn 750.

BECHTEL (J.). Kurtzer Catechismus. Philadelphia, Benjamin Francklin, 1742.
 24mo; pp 44.
 Not printed by Franklin. Printed in German text, in Germany, from Franklin's edition, even the imprint being reproduced.
 Hildeburn 4617.

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BLAIR (S.). The Doctrine of Predestination Truly and Fairly stated. B. Franklin, 1742.
Sm 8vo; title, 1 page; preface, 2-4; text, 5-79; advertisement, 1 page.
Hildeburn 753.

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237

- [a] THE CHARTERS of the Province of Pensilvania and City of Philadelphia. B. Franklin, 1742.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 3-30.
Hildeburn 755 [a]. Tower 670 [a].
- [b] A COLLECTION of all the Laws of the Province of Pennsylvania Now in Force. B. Franklin, 1742.
Title, 1 leaf; 3-562.
Hildeburn 757 [b]. Tower 670 [b].
- [c] AN APPENDIX Containing a Summary of Such Acts of Assembly as have been formerly in force. B. Franklin, 1742.
Title, 1 leaf; advertisement, iii-iv; appendix, 1-24; table, i-xi.
Hildeburn 757 [c]. Tower 670 [c].

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CHEW (S.). The Speech of Samuel Chew Delivered from the Bench to the Grand Jury of the County of New Castle. Aug. 20, 1742. B. Franklin, 1742.
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DIE CONFUSION von Tulpehocken. [B. Franklin, 1742]
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8vo; pp 48.
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B. Franklin, 1742.
8vo; pp xvi; 84.
Hildeburn 760.

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B. Franklin, 1742.
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243

GILLESPIE (GEORGE). A Letter to the Rev. Brethren of the Presbytery
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12mo; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-23; Just Published, (1).
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A LETTER from a Gentleman in Philadelphia to his Friend in the Country
Sept. 18, 1742. [B. Franklin, 1742]
Folio; pp 2.
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A MESSAGE to the Governor from the Assembly. [B. Franklin, 1742]
Folio; pp 4.
Dated "27th of 3d Mo. 1742."
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NEISSER (G.). Aufrichtige Nachricht ans Publicum. B. Franklin, 1742.
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Hildeburn 773.

247

NEW JERSEY. Anno Regni Georgii II. Decimo Quinto. At a General
Assembly holden at Perth Amboy, Oct. 2, 1741. B. Franklin, 1742.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 1-17.
Hildeburn 774.

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NEW JERSEY. Minutes and Votes of the House of Assembly, met at Burlington, Oct. 16, 1742 [—November 25, 1742]. B. Franklin, 1742.
Folio; pp (41).
Evans 5015. Not in Hildeburn.

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249

PROCLAMATION. By the Honourable George Thomas. [B. Franklin, 1742]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Against the Settlers in hand in Lancaster County West of the Blue Mountains. Dated Oct. 5, 1742.
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251

SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard, 1743. B. Franklin [1742]
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252

TENNENT (J.). Essay on Pleurisy. B. Franklin, 1742.
Hildeburn 786. t c

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WATTS (I.). Hymns and Spiritual Songs. B. Franklin, 1742.
Hildeburn 789. t c

254

THE YEARLY VERSES of the Printer's Lad. Jan. 1, 1741 [1741-2]. [B. Franklin 1742]
Narrow folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 792.

THOMSON (J.). Government of Church of Christ.
Hildeburn 787. Hildeburn, who did not see a copy of the book, ascribed it to Franklin. It was printed by A. Bradford.

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- 1742 [ZINZENDORFF (N. L.)]. Oratio [B. Franklin, 1742]
 Sm folio; pp 4.
 Hildeburn 4620.
- 256
- [ZINZENDORFF (N. L.)]. B. Ludewigs Wahrer Bericht de dato German-
 town den 20sten Febr. 174½. B. Franklin. [1742]
 Sq 8vo; pp 26.
 Hildeburn 794.
- 257
- [ZINZENDORFF (N. L.)]. Ludovici a Thürenstein in Antiquissima
 Fratrum Ecclesia. Ex Officina Frankliniana [1742].
 Sq 8vo; title, 1 leaf; 3-8.
 Hildeburn 796.
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- [ZINZENDORFF (N. L.)]. Etliche Zu dieser Zeit nicht unnütze Fragen
 über Einige Schrift-Stellen, Welche. B. Franklin [1742].
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- [ZINZENDORFF (N. L.)]. Letzte Privat-Erklärung für Pennsylvania.
 B. Franklin, 1742.
 Sm 4to; title, 1 leaf; 3-12.
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- 260
- [ZINZENDORFF (N. L.)]. The Remarks which the Author of the Com-
 pendious Extract, etc. B. Franklin, 1742.
 Sm 8vo; title, 1 leaf; preface, 3-4; remarks, 5-22; advertisement, 23-24.
 Hildeburn 799.
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- ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Decimo Quarto. Acts of Assembly B. Franklin,
 1743. [?]
 Hildeburn 801. t c
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BECHTEL (JOHANNES). En Kort Catechismus För några Jesu Foersamlingar. Tryckt hos Benjamin Franklin, Aohr 1743.
8vo; pp 35.
Hildeburn 803.

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A BILL for the better Regulating the Nightly Watch. B. Franklin, 1743.
Folio; pp 11.
Hildeburn 805.

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[a] A CONFESSION of Faith, etc. Adopted by the Baptist Association met at Philadelphia, Sept. 25, 1742. Sixth edition. B. Franklin, 1742.
16mo; title, 1 page; (1); To the reader, iii-viii; text, 9-112; contents, (2).
Hildeburn 811 [a].

[b] A SHORT TREATISE of Church-Discipline. B. Franklin, 1743.
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A DIALOGUE between two Countrymen who met at Brunswick. [B. Franklin, 1743?]
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- 1743 FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN). "Give us but Light." Letter to Rev.
George Whitefield. Dated June 6, 1743. B. Franklin, 1743.
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- [FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]. Proposals for Promoting Useful Knowledge
among the British Plantations. B. Franklin, 1743.
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- MORRIS (L.). The Speech of his Excellency, Lewis Morris, Nov. 25, 1742.
B. Franklin, 1743.
Hildeburn 837. t c

274

- NEW JERSEY. Anno Regni Georgii II. Decimo Septimo. General
Assembly of New Jersey, holden at Perth Amboy, Oct. 10, 1743. B.
Franklin, 1743.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 21-61.
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[NEW JERSEY] Extracts from the Minutes and Votes of the House of
Assembly of the Colony of New-Jersey, met at Burlington, Oct. 16,
1742. B. Franklin, 1743. 1743
4to; title, 1 leaf; 3-56.
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NEW YEAR VERSES of the Carriers of the Pennsylvania Gazette. B.
Franklin, 1743.
Hildeburn 840. t c

277

THE NOTE-MAKER NOTED, and the Observer observed upon. [B.
Franklin] 1743.
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THE REASONS of Mr. Alexander Creaghead's receding from the Judi-
catures of this Church. B. Franklin, 1743.
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- 1743 THE TREATY Held with the Indians of the Six Nations at Philadelphia in July, 1742. B. Franklin, 1743.
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Hildeburn 852.
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- VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania. Met at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1752. B. Franklin, 1743.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; Votes, Oct. 14, 3-19; Votes, Eleventh Month, 3, 21-50; Votes, Third Month, 2, 51-52; Votes, Sixth Month, 1, 53-72; Incidental Charges, 73; Appendix, 75-114.
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Hildeburn 853.
- 284
- ZINZENDORFF (N. L.). Every Man's Right to Live. B. Franklin, 1743.
Hildeburn 857. t c
- 285
- ZINZENDORFF (N. L.). A Letter from Lewis Thurnstein to People of all Ranks and Persuasions. B. Franklin, 1743. [?]
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- 286
- THE AMERICAN MAGAZINE and Historical Chronicle, MDCCXLIII-MDCCXLIV. Vol. I. Boston: Printed by Rogers & Fowle, and Sold by S. Eliot and J. Blanchard, in Boston; B. Franklin, in Philadelphia; J. Parker, in New York, etc. 1744.
8vo; pp (4); iv; 704; (5).
Evans 5113 and 5327.
Issued monthly, the first number appearing September, 1743.
- 287
- ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Decimo Septimo. General Assembly, holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1743. B. Franklin, 1744.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 3-32.
Hildeburn 861. Tower 672.

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BLAIR (S.). *A Vindication of the Brethren.* B. Franklin, 1744.

Sm 8vo; pp 63.

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COLMAN (B.). *A Letter from the Rev. Dr. Colman to Rev. Mr. Williams.*

B. Franklin, 1744.

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[DODSLEY (ROBERT)]. *The Chronicles of the Kings of England.* B.

Franklin, 1744.

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1744.

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COUNCIL with the Indians at Philadelphia, in August, 1744. B. Franklin. 1744.

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8vo; pp (2); 37; (1); 1 folded plate.
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- GILLESPIE (G.). Remarks upon Mr. George Whitefield, proving Him a Man under Delusion. Printed by B. Franklin, for the Author. 1744.
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NEW JERSEY. To His Excellency Lewis Morris, Esq. The Humble Representation of His Majesty's Council in General Assembly met. 1744
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Evans 5443, without ascribing it to Franklin.

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PROCLAMATION. By the Honourable George Thomas, Esq. [B. Franklin, 1744]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Dated June 11, 1744. Announcing Declaration of War With France.
Hildeburn 394.

304

[RICHARDSON (SAMUEL)]. Pamela. B. Franklin, 1744.
Hildeburn 896. t c

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SAUNDERS (R.). Pocket Almanac for 1745. Printed by B. Franklin [1744]
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June, 1744. B. Franklin, 1744.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 3-39.
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- 309
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Penn-
sylvania, Met at Philadelphia, Oct. 14. 1743. B. Franklin, 1744.
Folio; pp 54.
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WATTS (I[SAAC]). A Preservative from the Sins and Follies of Childhood
and Youth. Fourth edition. B. Franklin, 1744.
Hildeburn 911. t c

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- 311
AMERICAN MAGAZINE and Historical Chronicle. Vol. II. Boston:
Printed by Rogers & Fowle, and sold by S. Eliot & J. Blanchard, in
Boston; B. Franklin, in Philadelphia; J. Parker in New York; etc.
1745.
8vo; pp (4); 4; 566; (6).
Evans 5528.

- 312
[ARMSTRONG (JOHN)]. The Art of Preserving Health. B. Franklin,
1745.
4to; title, 1 leaf; 3-88.
Hildeburn 913.

- 313
[BERKELEY (GEORGE)]. An Abstract from Dr. Berkeley's Treatise on
Tar Water. B. Franklin (?) 1745.
Hildeburn 919. t c
Adv. in Pa. Gazette, Mar. 26, 1744-5, "To be sold by B. Franklin"—
Hildeburn thinks this refers to the New York edition and Thompson
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[CADWALADER (THOMAS)]. An Essay on the West India Dry-Gripes.

B. Franklin, 1745.

8vo; title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-v; text, 1-42.

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- [a] THE ORIGINAL PREFACE, paged iii-vi, and beginning "It was neither Thirst after gain", was suppressed, and never issued in the book. The only known copy is owned by the College of Physicians.
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CATALOGUE of Books to be Sold at Auction. B. Franklin, 1745.

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SUPPLEMENT to Catalogue of Books to be Sold at Auction. B. Franklin,

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Title, 1 page; text, 560-567; table, (23).
Hildeburn 924 [k].
- 318
- ERSKINE (E. & R.). A Collection of Sermons. B. Franklin, 1745.
Hildeburn 929. t c
- 319
- THE FRIENDLY INSTRUCTION. With a Preface by the Rev. Dr.
Doddridge. B. Franklin, 1745.
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- MORE (THOMAS). The American Country Almanac for 1746. B.
Franklin, 1745.
12mo; pp (20).
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Franklin, 1745.
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SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1746. B. Franklin, 1745.
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SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard, 1746. B. Franklin [1745]
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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania. Met Oct. 14, 1744. B. Franklin, 1745.
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AN ACCOUNT of a Treaty held at Albany with the Indians of the Six Nations, in October, 1745. B. Franklin, 1746.
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8vo; pp (4); 579; (5).
Evans 5728.

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ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Decimo Octavo. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 15. 1744. B. Franklin, 1746.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; xxv-xxvi.
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ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Decimo Nono. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14. 1745. B. Franklin, 1746.
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Hildeburn 963 [a]. Tower 674.

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Title; 1 leaf; 61-69.
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[a] THE CHARTER of the Library Company of Philadelphia. B. Franklin,
1746.
Sm 8vo; title, 1 page; charter, 2-8.
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- [DODSLEY (ROBERT)]. The Œconomy of Human Life. Sixth edition. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.
16mo; title, 1 leaf; advertisement, iii-iv; letters, v-xvi; half title, 1 page; contents, xviii-xix; introduction, xx-xxii; half title, Part I, 1 leaf; text 3-27; blank page; half title, Part II, 1 page; text, 30-42; half title, Part III, 1 leaf; text 45-49; blank page; half title, Part IV, 1 page; text, 52-59; blank page; half title, Part V, 1 page; text, 62-74; half title, Part VI, 1 leaf; text, 77-88; half title, Part VII, 1 leaf; text, 91-96; Lately published, etc. (2).
Hildeburn 1213.

462

- ELLWOOD (T.). Davideis. Fourth edition. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.
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463

- TO THE Quarterly and Monthly Meetings of Friends in Great Britain, Ireland and America. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751]

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8vo; pp 8.

Hildeburn gives the title, "An Epistle from the Yearly Meeting", but without having seen it.

Hildeburn 1215. Evans 6671.

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464

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]. Idea of the English School. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751]

8vo; pp 8.

Generally found appended to No. 472.

Hildeburn 1216.

465

THE FRENCH CONVERT. Eleventh edition. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.

16mo; pp 112, (2).

Hildeburn 1217.

466

GREW (T.). The Barbadoes Almanac for 1752. B. Franklin and D. Hall, [1751]

Folio; 1 leaf.

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Hildeburn 1220.

467

JERMAN (JOHN). The American Almanack for 1752. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1751]

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Hildeburn 1223.

468

[KEARSLEY (JOHN)]. A Letter to a Friend; Containing Remarks on a Discourse Proposing a Preparation of the Body for Small-Pox. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.

4to; pp 16.

Hildeburn 1224.

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- 469
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12mo; pp (24).
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- 470
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Sq 8vo; pp (40).
Hildeburn 1226.
- 471
NEW YEAR VERSES of the Carriers of the Pennsylvania Gazette. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.
Hildeburn 1229. t c
- 472
PETERS (R.). A Sermon on Education, Preach'd Jan. 7, 1750-1. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.
8vo; title, 1 leaf; dedication, iii-vii; (1); sermon, 1-41; Constitutions of the Publick Academy, 42-48; Idea of the English School, 1-8.
Hildeburn 1234. [See No. 464]
- 473
PROCLAMATION. By the Honourable James Hamilton, Esq. B. Franklin. [Circa 1751]
Folio; 1 leaf.
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- 474
RULES for the St. Andrew's Society in Philadelphia. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.
8vo; pp 16.
Hildeburn 1237.
- 475
SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1752. B. Franklin and D. Hall, [1751]
24mo; pp (24).
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SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1752. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1751]
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[SHIPPING RECEIPT]. Shipped in good Order and well-conditioned, by [11 printed lines, with numerous blank spaces] Philadelphia: Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall, at the Post-Office. [Circa 1751]
Small oblong broadside. 4:5 x 6:5.
Copy in possession of R. H. Dodd, filled out for July 26, 1751.
Not in Hildeburn, Evans or other bibliographies. [See No. 702]

478

SHORT (T.). Medicina Britannica: Or A Treatise On Such Physical Plants As Are Generally to be found in the Fields or Gardens in Great Britain. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.
8vo; title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-xvi; Mr. Bartram's preface, xvii-xx; text, 1-338; index, page 339; appendix, 1-40; Mr. Bartram's Appendix, 1-7.
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479

SHORT (T.). A Treatise On Such Physical Plants As Are Generally to be found in the Fields or Gardens in Great Britain. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1751.
8vo; pp xx, 339, 40, 7.
Same as preceding, but for the omission of the first three words of the title.
Hildeburn 1240 [a].

480

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania, Met Oct. 14, 1750. B. Franklin, 1751.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; votes, Oct. 15, pp 3-13; votes, 11 Mo. 7, pp 15-62; votes, 3 Mo. 6, pp 63-71; votes, 6 Mo. 12, pp 73-94; incidental charges (2).
Hildeburn 1242.

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- 481
- 1751 DIE ZEITUNG. No. 1. September, 1751. Philadelphia: Gedruckt bey Benjamin Francklin. 1751.
In German and English. Appears to have been soon discontinued.
Not in Hildeburn. Evans 6803.

1752

- 482
- ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Vigesimo Quinto. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1750. B. Franklin, 1752.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; p. clxi.
Hildeburn 1245. Tower 683.

483

- ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Vigesimo Quinto. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1751. B. Franklin, 1752.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 161-184.
Hildeburn 1246 [a]. Tower 684.

484

- [IBID]. Vigesimo Sexto. And from thence continued to Aug. 10, 1752. B. Franklin, 1752.
Title; 1 leaf; 187-208.
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485

- THE DEED of Settlement of the Society for insuring of Houses. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1752]
4to; pp 8, without title page.
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Hildeburn 1211.

486

- [DELAWARE]. Laws of New Castle, Kent and Sussex. B. Franklin, 1752.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; deed and charter, 3-14; laws, 15-363; table, i-xvii.
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487

[DODSLEY (R.)]. The Œconomy of Human Life, Part 1. Seventh edition.
B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1752.
16mo.
Hildeburn 1253, note. t c

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488

[DODSLEY (R.)]. The Œconomy of Human Life. Part the Second. Third
edition. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1752.
16mo; pp viii, 112.
Hildeburn 1253.

489

JERMAN (J.). An Almanac for 1753. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1752]
12 mo; pp (24).
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490

[a] [JOHNSON (SAMUEL)]. Elementa Philosophica: B. Franklin and D.
Hall, 1752.
8vo; title, 1 leaf.
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[b] NOETICA: or the First Principles of Human Knowledge. B. Franklin
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viii; introduction, ix-xviii; table, xix; contents, xx-xxiv; Noetica,
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Hildeburn 1262 [b].

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- 491
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- 492
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579

SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1757. B. Franklin and
D. Hall. [1756]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 1499.

580

[SCOUGAL (HENRY)]. Des Leben Gottes in der Seele des Menschen.
B. Franklin und A. Armbruester, 1756.
Title, 1 leaf; (19); 78; (1). German type.
Hildeburn 1500.

581

TREUHERTZIGE Erinnerung und Warnung. B. Franklin und A. Arm-
bruester, 1756.
German type.
Hildeburn 1506. t c

582

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Penn-
sylvania, Met Oct. 14, 1755. B. Franklin, 1756.
Folio; pp 174.
Hildeburn 1507.

583

WHITEFIELD (G.). A Short Address to Persons of all Denominations.
B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1756.
8vo; title, 1 leaf; 3-16.
Hildeburn 1508.

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1757

AN ACT for Forming and Regulating the Militia of the Province of Pennsylvania, passed March, 1757. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757]
Folio; pp 12.
Hildeburn 1511.

585

ADVERTISEMENT. [B. Franklin and D. Hall (?) 1757]
4to; 1 leaf.
Signed by Richard Hockley and Edmund Physick, and dated Jan. 24, 1757. Calling for arrears of Proprietary Quit-rents.
Hildeburn 1511.

586

ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Tricesimo. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1756. B. Franklin, 1757.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 319-321.
Hildeburn 1514 [a]. Tower 695.

587

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Nov. 22, 1756. B. Franklin, 1757.
Title, 1 leaf; 325-334.
Hildeburn 1514 [b]. Tower 696. .

588

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Jan. 3, 1757. B. Franklin, 1757.
Title, 1 leaf; 337-344.
Hildeburn 1514 [c]. Tower 697.

589

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Jan. 3, 1757 [April 9, 1757].
B. Franklin, 1757.
Title, 1 leaf; 347-361.
Hildeburn 1514 [d]. Tower 698.

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

- 590
- 1757 [IBID]. And from thence continued to May 13, 1757. B. Franklin, 1757.
 Title, 1 leaf; 365-372.
 Hildeburn 1514 [e]. Tower 699.
- 591
- BARCLAY (R.). The Anarchy of the Ranters, And other Libertines.
 B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
 8vo; title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-viii; text, 1-111; contents, 1 page. And
 usually contains Pike's Epistle [No. 602] bound at the end.
 Hildeburn 1516.
- 592
- THE CHARTER, Laws, and Catalogue of Books, of the Library Company
 of Philadelphia. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
 8vo; pp 23, 132.
 Hildeburn 1521.
- 593
- HOPKINS (SAMUEL). An Abridgment of Mr. Hopkins's Historical
 Memoirs, Relating to the Housatunnuk Indians. B. Franklin and
 D. Hall, 1757.
 8vo; pp iv, 36.
 Hildeburn 1531.
- 594
- HOPKINS (SAMUEL). An Address to the People of New-England. B.
 Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
 8vo; Title, 1 leaf; text 3-27.
 Hildeburn 1532.
- 595
- JERMAN (J.). An Almanac for 1758. B. Franklin and D. Hall [?] 1757.
 Hildeburn 1535. t c
- 596
- MINUTES OF CONFERENCES, Held With the Indians, at Easton, in
 July and November, 1756. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
 Folio; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-32.
 Hildeburn 1538.

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597

MINUTES OF CONFERENCES, Held With the Indians at Easton, July and August, 1757. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-24.
Hildeburn 1539.

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598

MINUTES OF CONFERENCES, Held With the Indians, at Harris's Ferry, and at Lancaster, in March, April and May, 1757. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-22.
Hildeburn 1540.

599

NEU-EINGERICHTETER Americanischer Geschichts-Calender, Auf das Jahr 1758. B. Franklin und A. Armbruester. [1757]
Hildeburn 1542. t c

600

THE NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Printers' Boys who Carry the Pennsylvania Gazette. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 1547.

601

PHILADELPHISCHE ZEITUNG. Nos. 42-68. January to December. Philadelphia. B. Francklin und A. Armbruester.
Folio.
Hildeburn 1551.
No. 68, Dec. 31, 1757, is probably the last issued.

602

PIKE (J.). An Epistle to the National Meeting of Friends in Dublin. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
Sm 8vo; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-23.
Generally bound with Barclay's Anarchy of the Ranters [No. 391].
Hildeburn 1552.

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603

- 1757 PREFONTAINE (P. P. DE). A Direct Guide to the French Language.
[B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757?] Hildeburn 1553.

604.

- DER PSALTER DAVIDS. B. Francklin und A. Armbruester, 1757.
In German type.
Hildeburn 1554. t c

605

- REGELN UND ARTICULS zu bessere Regierung und Anführung Ihro
Majestät Garden etc. B. Francklin und A. Armbruester im Mertz,
1757.
12 mo; title, 1 leaf; 1-40; register, 1 page. (Evans gives pp. 46)
German type.
Hildeburn 1556.

606

- SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1758. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
[1757]
24mo; pp (24).
Hildeburn 1557.

607

- SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1758. B. Franklin and
D. Hall. [1757]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 1558.

608

- SMITH (W.). A Charge Delivered May 17, 1757, at the first Anniver-
sary Commencement in the College and Academy of Philadelphia.
B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757.
8vo; pp 16.
Hildeburn 1561.

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609

DIE TEUTSCHER KRIEGSARTIKEL. B. Franklin und A. Armbruester,
1757.
Hildeburn 1564. t c

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610

TO THE FREEHOLDERS of the County of Philadelphia. [B. Franklin
and D. Hall, 1757]
Folio; pp (2).
An election address.
Hildeburn 4632.

611

TO WILLIAM DENNY, Esq. The Address of the Friendly Association
for regaining and preserving Peace with the Indians. [B. Franklin and
D. Hall, 1757]
Folio; pp 4.
Dated at the end: "Philadelphia, 14th of 7th Month, 1757."
Hildeburn 1565.

612

VERHANDLUNGER des Coetus von Pennsylvania. B. Franklin und
A. Armbruester, 1757.
Hildeburn 1567. t c

613

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives. B.
Franklin, 1757.
Folio.
Hildeburn 1568. t c

614

WEISER (C.). Translation of a German Letter wrote by Conrad Weiser,
Esq. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1757]
8vo; pp 7.
Hildeburn 1571.

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

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615

ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Tricesimo Primo. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1757, to Jan. 2, 1758. B. Franklin, 1758. Folio; title, 1 leaf; 375-390. Hildeburn 1574 [a]. Tower 700.

616

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Jan. 2, 1758 [Apr. 22, 1758]. B. Franklin, 1758. Title, 1 leaf; 393-407. Hildeburn 1574 [b]. Tower 701.

617

[IBID]. [And from thence continued to May 3, 1758] No title page. Page 409 is headed: Anno Tricesimo Primo Georgii II. Regis; pp 409-427. Hildeburn 1574 [c]. Tower 702.

618

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Sept. 4, 1758. B. Franklin, 1758. Title, 1 leaf; 431-436. Hildeburn 1574 [d]. Tower 703.

619

BY THE HON. WILLIAM DENNY, ESQ. An Advertisement. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1758] Folio; broadside. Dated 5, July 1758. Forbidding anyone to sell liquor to the Indians on the way to Philadelphia to hold a Treaty. Evans 8229. Not in Hildeburn.

620

HALL (DAVID). A Mite into the Treasury. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1758. 8vo; title, 1 leaf; preface, iii-x; text, 1-53. Hildeburn 1588.

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

621

MINUTES OF CONFERENCES Held at Easton in October, 1758, with the Mohawks. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1758.

Folio; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-31.

Hildeburn 1593. [See No. 636]

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622

NEU-EINGERICHTETER Americanischer Geschichts-Calender, Auf das Jahr 1759. B. Franklin und G. Armbruester, 1758.

Hildeburn 1594. t c

623

THE NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Printers' Lads who Carry the Pennsylvania Gazette. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1758.]

Folio; 1 leaf.

Hildeburn 1598.

624

POLICY OF INSURANCE in Philadelphia Contributionship. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1758]

Folio; broadside.

Not in Hildeburn, Evans, or other bibliographies.

625

SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1759. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

[1758]

24mo; pp (24).

Hildeburn, 1603.

626

SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1759. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1758]

Sm 8vo; pp (36).

Hildeburn 1604.

627

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania, met Oct. 14, 1757. B. Franklin, 1758.

Folio; pp 94.

Hildeburn 1610.

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628

AN ACT for Granting His Majesty one hundred thousand pounds, passed at a General Assembly begun Oct. 1758. B. Franklin, 1759.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 45.
Hildeburn 1613.

629

ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Tricesimo Secundo. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1758, to Feb. 5, 1759. B. Franklin, 1759.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 439-483.
Hildeburn 1616 [a]. Tower 704.

630

[IBID]. And from thence continued to May 21, 1759. B. Franklin, 1759.
Title, 1 leaf; 487-513.
Hildeburn 1616 [b]. Tower 705.

631

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Sep. 10, 1759. B. Franklin, 1759.
Title, 1 leaf; 517-526.
Hildeburn 1616 [c]. Tower 706.

632

ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Tricesimo Secundo. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia Oct. 15, 1759. [to Nov. 20, 1759]. B. Franklin, 1759.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 529-530.
Hildeburn 1617. Tower 707.

633

BOOKS Imported in the last Vessel from London, and to be sold by David Hall. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 1620.

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634

DELL (WM.). The Doctrine of Baptisms, Reduced from its Ancient and Modern Corruptions. Fifth edition. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759. 8vo; title, 1 leaf; To the Reader, iii-iv; text, 5-43. Hildeburn 1625.

1759

635

FROM OUR YEARLY MEETING at Philadelphia for Pennsylvania and New Jersey, from 22nd Day of the Ninth Month to the 28th of the same, 1759. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759] Folio; pp 3. Hildeburn 1627.

636

MINUTES OF CONFERENCES held at Easton in October, 1758, with the Mohawks. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759. Folio; pp 31. Hildeburn 1634. [See No. 621]

637

THE NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Printers Lads who carry the Pennsylvania Gazette. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759] Folio; 1 leaf. Hildeburn 1636.

638

POLICY OF INSURANCE in Philadelphia Contributionship. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759] Folio, broadside. Not in Hildeburn or Evans.

639

PROCLAMATION. By Brigadier Stanwix, Notice is hereby given that a number of waggons will be wanted for his Majesty's Service. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759] Folio, broadside. Dated 4 May, 1759. Evans 8459. Not in Hildeburn.

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

- 640
- 1759 RUTTY (J.). The Liberty of the Spirit and of the Flesh Distinguished.
 B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759.
 8vo; title, 1 leaf; 3-64.
 Hildeburn 1642.

- 641
- SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1760. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
 [1759]
 pp (24).
 Hildeburn 1643.

- 642
- SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1760. B. Franklin and
 D. Hall. [1759]
 Sm 8vo; pp (36).
 Hildeburn 1644.

- 643
- VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Penn-
 sylvania, Met Oct. 14, 1758. B. Franklin, 1759.
 Folio; pp 111, (1).
 Hildeburn 1650.

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- 644
- ANNO REGNI Georgii II. Tricesimo Tertio. General Assembly holden
 at Philadelphia, Oct. 15, 1759, to Feb. 11, 1760. B. Franklin, 1760.
 Folio; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-45.
 Hildeburn 1656. Tower 708.

- 645
- THE DEED OF SETTLEMENT of the Society for Insuring of Houses.
 [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1760]
 4to; pp 8; without title page.
 Not in Hildeburn or Evans.
 Some copies, apparently of this edition, appear with the by-laws made
 at the meetings from 1763-1787 printed at a later date in the blank
 space on last page.

OF FRANKLIN IMPRINTS

646

DELL (WM.). The Trial of Spirits, Both in Teachers and Hearers.
 B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1760.
 8vo; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-55.
 Hildeburn 1668.

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647

ELLWOOD (THOMAS). Davideis; The Life of David, King of Israel.
 B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1760.
 12mo; title, 1 leaf; iii-vi; 1-160; (2)
 Evans 8951. Hildeburn 1800 gives date as 1762, but without having
 seen it.

648

LAW (W.). An Extract from a Treatise Called The Spirit of Prayer.
 B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1760.
 8vo; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-47.
 Hildeburn 1681.

649

THE NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Printers' Lads who carry the Pennsylv-
 ania Gazette. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1760]
 Folio; 1 leaf.
 Hildeburn 1689.

650

POLICY OF INSURANCE in Philadelphia Contributionship. [B. Franklin
 and D. Hall, 1760]
 Folio; broadside.
 Not in Hildeburn or Evans.

651

SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1761. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
 [1760]
 24mo; pp (24).
 Hildeburn 1698.

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652

SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1761. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1760]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 1699.

653

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania. Met Oct. 14, 1759. B. Franklin, 1760.
Folio; pp 58.
Hildeburn 1705, corrigenda.

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654

ADVERTISEMENT. [B. Franklin (?) 1761]
4to; 1 leaf.
Dated Philadelphia, January 29, 1761, and signed Richard Peters and Richard Hockley.
Hildeburn 4641.

655

ANNO REGNI Georgii III. Primo. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1760, to March 14, 1761. B. Franklin, 1761.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 49-98.
Hildeburn 1714 [a]. Tower 709.

656

[IBID]. And from thence continued to April 23, 1761. B. Franklin, 1761.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 101-103.
Hildeburn 1714 [b]. Tower 710.

657

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Sep. 26, 1761. B. Franklin. 1761.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 107-125.
Hildeburn 1714 [c]. Tower 711.

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658

CONTINUATION of the Account of the Pennsylvania Hospital, from May 1, 1754, to May 5, 1761. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1761.
4to; title, 1 leaf; 41-77.
Hildeburn 1722. [See No. 519]

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659

MINUTES OF CONFERENCES held at Easton in August, 1761. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1761.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-18.
Hildeburn 1748.

660

NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Carriers of the Pennsylvania Gazette. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1761.
Hildeburn 1754. t c

661

PROCLAMATION. By the Hon. James Hamilton, Esq. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1761]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Offering bounties to recruits for Pennsylvania regiments.
Hildeburn 1760.

662

PROCLAMATION. By the Honourable James Hamilton, Esq. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1761.
Folio; 1 leaf.
Against settlers entering upon lands not purchased from the Indians on the Delaware River, dated Feb. 20, 1761.
Hildeburn 1761.

663

SAUNDERS (R.). Pocket Almanac for 1762. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1761]
24mo; pp (24).
Hildeburn 1763.

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- 1761 SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1762. B. Franklin and
D. Hall. [1761]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 1764.
- 665
- VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylv-
ania. Met Oct. 14, 1760. B. Franklin, 1761.
Folio; pp 80.
Hildeburn 1777.
- 1762
- 666
- ANNO REGNI Georgii III. Secundo. General Assembly holden at Phila-
delphia, Oct. 14, 1761-Feb. 17, 1762. B. Franklin, 1762.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 129-183.
Hildeburn 1784 [a]. Tower 714.
- 667
- [IBID]. And from thence continued to Mar. 26, 1762. B. Franklin, 1762.
Title; 1 leaf; 187-211.
Hildeburn 1784 [b]. Tower 715
- 668
- [IBID]. And from thence continued to May 3, 1762. B. Franklin, 1762.
Title, 1 leaf; 215-220.
Hildeburn 1784 [c]. Tower 716.
- 669
- NEW YEAR VERSES of the Carriers of the Pennsylvania Gazette. B.
Franklin and D. Hall, 1762.
Hildeburn 1837. t c
- 670
- SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1763. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
[1762]
24mo; pp (24).
Hildeburn 1849.

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671

SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1763. B. Franklin and
D. Hall. [1762]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 1850.

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672

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Penn-
sylvania, Met Oct. 14, 1761. B. Franklin, 1762.
Folio; pp 58, (1).
Hildeburn 1860.

673

WOOLMAN (J.). Considerations on keeping Negroes. Part Second. B.
Franklin and D. Hall, 1762.
16mo; title, 1 leaf; text, 3-52.
Hildeburn 1863.
The first part was printed by James Chattin in 1754.

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674

ANNO REGNI Georgii III. Tertio. General Assembly holden at Phila-
delphia, Oct. 14, 1762, to March 4, 1763. B. Franklin, 1762.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 223-276.
Hildeburn 1869 [a]. Tower 717.

675

[IBID]. And from thence Continued to July 8, 1763. B. Franklin, 1763.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 279-286.
Hildeburn 1869 [b]. Tower 718.

676

[IBID]. And from thence Continued to September 13, 1763. B. Franklin,
1763.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 289-296.
Hildeburn 1869 [c]. Tower 719.

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ANNO REGNI Georgii III. Tertio. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia Oct. 14, 1763, to Oct. 22, 1763. B. Franklin, 1763.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; pp 299-311.
Hildeburn 1870. Tower 720.

678

[BLANK LEGAL FORM]

[a] To Attorney of the Court of Common-Pleas in the County of [etc.]
Consisting of 37 printed lines, with numerous blank spaces, and forming page (1).
[b] Know all Men, by these Presents, That [etc.] [Colophon] Philadelphia: Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. [Circa 1763]
Consisting of thirty-one printed lines, including the imprint, with numerous blank spaces, and forming page (3).
Folio; pp (4), with pp (2) and (4) blank.
Curtis Collection. Not in Hildeburn or Evans.

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[BLANK LEGAL FORM]

Know all Men, by these Presents, That [etc.] [Colophon] Philadelphia: Printed by B. Franklin, and D. Hall. [Circa 1763]
Consisting of thirty-one printed lines. Identical with No. 678 [b].
Folio; pp (4), printed on the first page only.
American Philosophical Society has a copy filled in with the date 1763.
Not in Hildeburn or Evans.

680

DUCHE (J.). The Life and Death of the Righteous. A Sermon, preached at Christ-Church, Feb. 13, 1763. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1763.
8vo; pp 24.
Hildeburn 1888.

681

LAND OFFICE, Philadelphia, March 10, 1763. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1763]
4to; broadside.
Notice that warrants must be obtained before entry on vacant lands.
Ascribed to Franklin by Evans.
Hildeburn 1905. Evans 9476.

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682

MINUTES OF CONFERENCES Held at Lancaster, in August, 1762.
With several Tribes of Northern and Western Indians. B. Franklin
and D. Hall, 1763.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 3-36.
Hildeburn 1908.

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683

NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Carriers of the Pennsylvania Gazette. B.
Franklin and D. Hall, 1763.
Hildeburn 1912. t c

684

POLICY OF INSURANCE in Philadelphia Contributionship. [B. Franklin
and D. Hall, 1763]
Folio; broadside.
Two editions in this year, probably identical.
Not in Hildeburn or Evans.

685

SAUNDERS (R.). Pocket Almanack for 1764. B. Franklin and D.
Hall. [1763]
24mo; pp (24).
Hildeburn 1919.

686

SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved, for 1764. B. Franklin and
D. Hall. [1763]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 1920.

687

THORNE (W.). A New Set of Copies for the Use of Schools. B. Franklin
and D. Hall, 1763.
Hildeburn 1926. t c

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1763

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania, Met Oct. 14, 1762. B. Franklin, 1763.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; Votes, Oct. 4, 1762, et seq. pp 3-36; Votes, Mar. 28, et seq. pp 37-42; Votes, July 4, et seq. pp 43-48; Votes, Sep. 12, et seq. pp 49-67; Incidental Charges, p (68).
Hildeburn 1932.

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689

ANNO QUARTO Georgii III. An Act for preventing Tumults and riotous Assemblies. [B. Franklin, 1764].
Folio; pp 4.
Hildeburn 1949.

690

ANNO REGNI Georgii III. Quarto. General Assembly holden at Philadelphia, Oct. 14, 1763, to March 24, 1764. B. Franklin, 1764.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 315-330.
Hildeburn 1950 [a]. Tower 721.

691

[IBID]. And from thence continued to May 13, 1764. B. Franklin, 1764.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 333-358.
Hildeburn 1950 [b]. Tower 722.

692

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Sep. 22, 1764. B. Franklin, 1764.
Title, 1 leaf; 361-369.
Hildeburn 1950 [c]. Tower 723.

693

THE CHARTER, Laws, and Catalogue of Books, of the Library Company of Philadelphia. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764.
8vo; title, 1 leaf; Charter, etc., 3-26. Catalogue, 1-143; Medals, 145-148; List of Members, 149-150.
Hildeburn 1964.

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694

EXPLANATORY REMARKS on the Assembly's Resolves, published in the Pennsylvania Gazette, No. 1840. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764]
Folio; pp 2.
Hildeburn 1987.

1764

695

[FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN)]. Remarks on a late Protest Against the Appointment of Mr. Franklin as Agent for this Province. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764]
8vo; pp 7.
Hildeburn 1994.

696

THE NEW ENGLAND PRIMER. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764.
32mo; pp [78].
Hildeburn 2042.

697

THE NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Printers Lads who carry about the Pennsylvania Gazette. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 2024.

698

PROCLAMATION. By the Hon. John Penn, Esq. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1764]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Proclamation against the "Paxton Boys", dated Jan. 2, 1764.
Hildeburn 2043.

699

PROCLAMATION. By the Hon. John Penn, Esq. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1764]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Dated July 7, 1764, offering rewards for Indian scalps.
Hildeburn 2044.

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700

- 1764 SAUNDERS (R.). Pocket Almanack for 1765. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
[1764]
24mo; pp (24).
Hildeburn 2056.

701

- SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1765. B. Franklin and D.
Hall. [1764]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 2057.

702

- [SHIPPING RECEIPT]. Shipped in good Order and well conditioned, by
[11 printed lines, with numerous blank spaces] [B. Franklin and
D. Hall, 1764, or earlier]
Small oblong broadside. 7:8 x 3:11. Printed in somewhat larger type
than No. 477, but with the same large initial "S", and in substantially
the same form. There is a third shipping receipt issued from Franklin's
printing office, identical in type with No. 477, but spaced a little
differently. As the only copies of it that I have seen have been
filled in with the date 1768 it was probably printed by Hall & Sellers,
but may have been printed by Franklin & Hall.
Not in Hildeburn or Evans.

703

- TO THE COMMISSIONERS and Assessors of Chester County for the Year
1764. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 2072.

704

- TO THE FREEHOLDERS and other Electors for the City and County of
Philadelphia, and Counties of Chester and Bucks. [B. Franklin and
D. Hall, 1764]
Folio; pp (2).
Hildeburn 2074.

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705

TO THE KING'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council, The Petition of
the Freeholders and Inhabitants of Pensilvania. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764] 1764
Folio; broadside; pp 2; 1. blank leaf.
Hildeburn 2038.

706

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the House of Representatives of Pennsylv-
vania, Met Oct. 14, 1763. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1764.
Folio; pp 113.
Hildeburn 2082.

1765

707

ANNO REGNI Georgii III. Quinto. General Assembly holden at Phila-
delphia, Oct. 14, 1764, to Feb. 15, 1765. B. Franklin, 1765.
Folio; title, 1 leaf; 373-410.
Hildeburn 2102 [a]. Tower 724.

708

[IBID]. And from thence continued to May 18, 1765. B. Franklin, 1765.
Title, 1 leaf; 413-428.
Hildeburn 2102 [b]. Tower 725.

709

[IBID]. And from thence continued to Sep. 21, 1765. B. Franklin, 1765.
Title, 1 leaf; 431-448.
Hildeburn 2102 [c]. Tower 726.

710

BARROLL (REV. WILLIAM). A Sermon Preached at St. Stephen's
Church at the Funeral of Mr. James Louttit. B. Franklin and D. Hall
1765.
pp 12.
Historical Society of Pennsylvania. Not in Hildeburn.

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

711

1765 A CATECHISM. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765.
Hildeburn 2110. t c

712

[DULANEY (DANIEL)]. Considerations on the propriety of imposing taxes in the British Colonies. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765 [?].
"The existence of a Philadelphia edition is doubtful."—Hildeburn.
Hildeburn 2119.

713

FRANKLIN (W.). The Answer of his Excellency William Franklin to the charges of the Proprietary Party. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 2125.

714

[GALLOWAY (JOSEPH)]. Advertisement. Philadelphia, Dec. 20, 1765.
To the Publick. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 2127.

715

LAND OFFICE. 17th of June, 1765. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765]
Folio; pp (2).
Notice of changes in mode of taking up land in Pennsylvania, signed by William Peters.
Ascribed to Franklin by Evans.
Hildeburn 2140. Evans 10123.

716

LATELY IMPORTED, and to be Sold by David Hall. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 2141.

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717

THE NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Printers Lads who carry the Pennsylvania Gazette. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 2152.

1765

718

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA. By the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen, and the Commissioners for paving and cleansing the Streets. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765]
Folio; 1 leaf.
Hildeburn 2161.

719

POLICY OF INSURANCE in Philadelphia Contributionship. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765]
Folio; broadside.
Not in Hildeburn or Evans.

720

A PRIMER. B. Franklin and D. Hall. 1765.
Probably the New England Primer. [See No. 696]
Hildeburn 2162. t c

721

BY THE HONOURABLE John Penn, Esq. A Proclamation. B. Franklin and D. Hall [1765].
Folio; broadside.
Dated June 4, 1765. In reference to taking out licences to trade with the Indians.
Not in Hildeburn.

722

SAUNDERS (R.). A Pocket Almanac for 1766. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1765]
24mo; pp (24).
Hildeburn 2165.

SHORT-TITLE CHECK LIST

723

1765 SAUNDERS (R.). Poor Richard improved for 1766. B. Franklin and D. Hall. [1765]
Sm 8vo; pp (36).
Hildeburn 2166.

724

SHORT (T.). Medicina Britannica. B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1765.
Hildeburn 2168. t c
There was an edition in 1751. [See No. 478]

725

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the Assembly. B. Franklin, 1765.
Hildeburn 2177. t c

1766

726

AN ACT for the better Employment, Relief and Support of the Poor.
[B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1766]
Folio; pp 4.
Hildeburn 2188.

727

DILWORTH (T.). A New Guide to the English Tongue. D. Hall, 1766.
"The edition, 2000 copies, was more than half printed at the dissolution of the partnership between Franklin & Hall."—Hildeburn.
Hildeburn 2210.

728

L[ETCHWORTH] (T[HOMAS]). A Morning and Evening's Meditation.
B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1766.
8vo; title, 1 leaf; iii-iv; 5-58.
Evans says 12mo; pp (2), 58.
Hildeburn 2232. Evans 10355.

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729

THE NEW-YEAR VERSES of the Printers Lads who Carry the Pennsylvania Gazette. [B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1766]

1766

Folio; 1 leaf.

Hildeburn 2239.

Paper Currency

730

PENNSYLVANIA

1731. February 6. B. Franklin. [?]

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 2 shillings.
- d 2 shillings, 6 pence.
- e 5 shillings.
- f 10 shillings.
- g 15 shillings.
- h 20 shillings.

731

1739. August 10. B. Franklin.

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 2 shillings.
- d 2 shillings, 6 pence.
- e 5 shillings.
- f 10 shillings.
- g 15 shillings.
- h 20 shillings.

732

1744. August 1. B. Franklin.

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 2 shillings.
- d 2 shillings, 6 pence.
- e 5 shillings.

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733

1746. February 28. B. Franklin.

- a 4 pence.
- b 6 pence.
- c 9 pence.
- d 15 shillings.
- e 20 shillings.

734

1746. August 1. B. Franklin.

- a 4 pence.
- b 6 pence.
- c 9 pence.
- d 20 shillings.

735

1749. February 4. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

- a 3 pence.
- b 4 pence.
- c 6 pence.
- d 9 pence.

736

1755. October 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

- a 3 pence.
- b 4 pence.
- c 6 pence.
- d 9 pence.
- e 1 shilling.
- f 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- g 2 shillings.
- h 2 shillings, 6 pence.
- i 5 shillings.
- j 10 shillings.
- k 20 shillings.

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737

1756. January 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 2 shillings.
- d 2 shillings, 6 pence.
- e 5 shillings.
- f 10 shillings.
- g 15 shillings.
- h 20 shillings.

738

1756. October 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

- a 5 shillings.
- b 10 shillings.
- c 15 shillings.
- d 20 shillings.

739

1757. March 10. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

- a 5 shillings.
- b 10 shillings.
- c 15 shillings.
- d 20 shillings.

740

1757. July 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

- a 5 shillings.
- b 10 shillings.
- c 15 shillings.
- d 20 shillings.

741

1758. May 20. B. Franklin and D. Hall.

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 2 shillings.
- d 2 shillings, 6 pence.

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- e 5 shillings.
- f 10 shillings.
- g 15 shillings.
- h 20 shillings.

742

1759. April 25. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 5 shillings.
 - b 10 shillings.
 - c 15 shillings.
 - d 20 shillings.
 - e 2 pounds, 10 shillings.
 - f 5 pounds.

743

1759. June 21. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 50 shillings.
 - b 5 pounds.

744

1760. May 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 5 shillings.
 - b 10 shillings.
 - c 15 shillings.
 - d 20 shillings.
 - e 50 shillings.
 - f 5 pounds.

745

1764. June 18. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 3 pence.
 - b 4 pence.
 - c 6 pence.
 - d 9 pence.
 - e 1 shilling.
 - f 1 shilling, 6 pence.
 - g 2 shillings.
 - h 2 shillings, 6 pence.

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- i 5 shillings.
- j 10 shillings.
- k 15 shillings.
- l 20 shillings.

746

NEW JERSEY

1728. March 25. Samuel Keimer.

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 3 shillings.
- d 6 shillings.
- e 12 shillings.
- f 15 shillings.
- g 30 shillings.
- h 3 pounds.
- i 6 pounds.

747

1731. July 8. Benjamin Franklin.

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 3 shillings.
- d 6 shillings.
- e 12 shillings.
- f 15 shillings.
- g 30 shillings.
- h 3 pounds.
- i 6 pounds.

748

1735. March 25. Benjamin Franklin.

- a 1 shilling.
- b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
- c 3 shillings.
- d 6 shillings.
- e 12 shillings.
- f 15 shillings.
- g 30 shillings.
- h 3 pounds.
- i 6 pounds.

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749

1746. July 2. Benjamin Franklin.
a 1 shilling.
b 1 shilling, 6 pence.
c 3 shillings.
d 6 shillings.
e 12 shillings.
f 15 shillings.
g 30 shillings.
h 3 pounds.
i 6 pounds.

750

DELAWARE

1735. [Benjamin Franklin]
10 shillings.

751

1739. June 1. [Benjamin Franklin]
a 2 shillings.
b 10 shillings.

752

1739. December 1. [Benjamin Franklin]
a 1 shilling, 6 pence.
b 2 shillings, 6 pence.
c 10 shillings.

753

1746. February 28. Benjamin Franklin.
a 5 shillings.
b 10 shillings.
c 15 shillings.
d 20 shillings. A "Assembly"
e 20 shillings. B "Assembly"

754

1756. May 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
a 18 pence.
b 2 shillings.
c 5 shillings.

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- d 10 shillings.
- e 15 shillings.
- f 20 shillings.

755

1758. March 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 18 pence.
 - b 2 shillings.
 - c 2 shillings, 6 pence.
 - d 5 shillings.
 - e 10 shillings.
 - f 15 shillings.
 - g 20 shillings.

756

1758. May 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 2 shillings, 6 pence.
 - b 5 shillings.
 - c 10 shillings.
 - d 15 shillings.
 - e 20 shillings.

757

1759. June 1. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 1 shilling.
 - b 18 pence.
 - c 2 shillings.
 - d 2 shillings, 6 pence.
 - e 5 shillings.
 - f 10 shillings.
 - g 15 shillings.
 - h 20 shillings.

758

1760. May 31. B. Franklin and D. Hall.
- a 20 shillings.
 - b 30 shillings.
 - c 40 shillings.
 - d 50 shillings.

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759

The Pennsylvania Gazette

The Pennsylvania Gazette was started by Samuel Keimer, December 24, 1728, as "The Universal Instructor in all Arts and Sciences: And Pennsylvania Gazette." He published Nos. 1 to 39, when it was taken over by Benjamin Franklin, who changed the title to "The Pennsylvania Gazette."

Printed by B. Franklin and H. Meredith

1729—No. 40 (Thur., Oct. 2) to No. 59 (Tues., Dec. 30).

Nos. 40 to 42, four pages each, issued on Thursday. No. 43, two pages, issued on Thursday. Nos. 44 to 55, two pages each, issued twice a week on Mondays and Thursdays. Nos. 56 to 59 four pages each, issued on Tuesday.

Hildeburn 374.

1730—No. 60 (Tues., Jan. 6, 1729-30) to No. 111 (Tues., Dec. 29, 1730).

Four pages each, except Nos. 108 to 111, two each. Nos. 66, 68, and 77 to 107 appeared on Thursday; 69 on Friday; the others on Tuesday.

Hildeburn 374.

1731—No. 112 (Tues., Jan. 5, 1730-1) to No. 161 (Tues., Dec. 28, 1731).

Nos. 112 to 114, 116 to 120, 155, 158, 160 and 161 consist of two pages; the others of four pages each. Nos. 120 to 156, and 158 were published on Thursday; No. 157 on Saturday; the others on Tuesday.

No paper was issued between Sept. 9 and 23.

Hildeburn 410 and 427.

1732—No. 162 (Tues., Jan. 4, 1731-2) to No. 213 (Dec. 28, 1732).

Nos. 162, 175, 177, 196, 202 to 213 consist of two pages each; the others of four. There are two papers numbered 168 and dated Feb. 15, one of which is the preceding issue (167, Feb. 8) with nothing altered but name and date. Nos. 162 to 171 were issued on Tuesday; 172 to 185 on Thursday, and 186 to 196, on Monday. The day of the week is omitted after 197, and while the paper appeared once a week the day of publication was irregular. Meredith's name is omitted from the imprint after No. 179.

Hildeburn 446.

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1733—No. 214 (Jan. 4, 1732-3) to No. 265 (Dec. 31, 1733).

Nos. 214, 234 and 237 consist of two pages; the others of four pages each. No. 242 is misnumbered 243. Both Nos. 243 are dated July 19, while the correctly numbered issue should be dated July 26. No. 261 is misdated Nov. 22 for Nov. 29.

Hildeburn 465.

1734—No. 266 (Jan. 8, 1733-4) to No. 316 (Dec. 26, 1734).

Nos. 266, 271 and 275 consist of two pages; the others of four pages each, except 299, which contains six pages. No. 305 is misnumbered 304. Issued generally on Thursday, but sometimes on Wednesday.

Hildeburn 491.

1735—No. 317 (Jan. 2, 1734) to No. 369 (Dec. 30, 1735).

Four pages each, except Nos. 321, 323, 327, 327 for 328, 336 and 337, two pages each. No. 328 is misnumbered 327.

Hildeburn 521.

1736—No. 370 (Jan. 5, 1735-6) to 420 (Dec. 30, 1736).

Four pages each, except No. 419, which is only two.

Hildeburn 542.

1737—No. 421 (Jan. 6, 1736-7) to No. 472 (Dec. 29, 1737).

Four pages each. There were two editions of No. 425.

Hildeburn 558.

1738—No. 473 (Jan. 3, 1737) to No. 524 (Dec. 28, 1738).

Four pages each, except Nos. 490 and 499, which contain six pages.

There is a "Postscript" to 497 of two pages.

Hildeburn 584.

1739—No. 525 (Jan. 4, 1738-9) to No. 576 (Dec. 27, 1739).

Four pages each. There is a "Postscript" of two pages to No. 566. No.

527 is misnumbered 257, and 573 is misnumbered 572. With No.

564 the paper was reduced to a quarto.

Hildeburn 604.

1740—No. 577 (Jan. 3, 1739-40) to No. 628 (Dec. 25, 1740).

Four pages each, except Nos. 597 and 609, eight pages, and 608 and

612, six pages. There is a "Postscript" of two pages to No. 603,

and one of four pages to No. 606.

Hildeburn 648.

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- 1741—No. 629 (Jan. 1, 1740-1) to No. 681 (Dec. 29, 1741).
Four pages each, except 641, 647, 650, 652 and 673, six pages, and 654, eight pages. Nos. 632 and 633 are misnumbered 932 and 933.
Hildeburn 716.
- 1742—No. 682 (Jan. 6, 1741-2) to No. 733 (Dec. 30, 1742).
Four pages each, except Nos. 703 and 716, which contain eight pages.
No. 683 is misnumbered 684. There is a "Postscript" of two pages to No. 730. With No. 686 the sheet was enlarged and a third column added.
Hildeburn 776.
- 1743—No. 734 (Jan. 4, 1742-3) to No. 785 (Dec. 27, 1743).
Four pages each, except No. 768, which contains six pages.
Hildeburn 843.
- 1744—No. 786 (Jan. 3, 1743-4) to No. 837 (Dec. 25, 1744).
Four pages each, except Nos. 801 and 826, which contain six pages.
Hildeburn 891.
- 1745—No. 838 (Jan. 1, 1744-5) to No. 890 (Dec. 31, 1745).
Four pages each, except Nos. 849, 854, 859, 860, 861, 876, 878 and 882, which contained six pages, and 862, which contains eight pages.
There are "Supplements" of two pages each to Nos. 841, 851 and 868, and one of 1 leaf to 867.
Hildeburn 943.
- 1746—No. 891 (Jan. 7, 1745-6) to No. 942 (Dec. 30, 1746).
Four pages each, except Nos. 906, 925, 927, 928 and 931, which contain six pages, and No. 905, which contains eight pages. There are "Supplements" of two pages each to Nos. 891, 917 and 922, and one of 1 leaf to No. 916.
Hildeburn 988.
- 1747—No. 943 (Jan. 6, 1746-7) to No. 994 (Dec. 29, 1747).
Four pages each, except Nos. 956, 957, 963, 964, 966, 970, 971, 976, 978, 980, 981, 983 and 984, which contain six pages. There is a "Supplement" of two pages to No. 977.
Hildeburn 1029.

Printed by B. Franklin and D. Hall

- 1748—No. 995 (Jan. 5, 1747-8) to No. 1046 (Dec. 27, 1748).
Four pages, except Nos. 1002, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1016, 1017,

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- 1030 and 1031, which contain six pages. The imprint was changed to Franklin and Hall with No. 996.
Hildeburn 1088.
- 1749—No. 1047 (Jan. 3, 1748-9) to No. 1098 (Dec. 26, 1749).
Four pages each, except Nos. 1071, 1089, 1091, 1092, 1093 and 1094, which contain six pages. There is a "Supplement" of 1 leaf to No. 1059. The size of the page varies frequently throughout the year.
Hildeburn 1146.
- 1750—No. 1099 (Jan. 2, 1749-50) to No. 1150 (Dec. 25, 1750).
Four pages each, except Nos. 1116, 1117, 1119, 1120, 1123-1126 and 1128, which contain six pages. The paper was enlarged with No. 1129.
Hildeburn 1192.
- 1751—No. 1151 (Jan. 1, 1750-1) to No. 1203 (Dec. 31, 1751).
Four pages each, except Nos. 1172-1175, and 1185, which contain six pages.
Hildeburn 1232.
- 1752—No. 1204 (Jan. 7, 1752) to No. 1253 (Dec. 26, 1752).
Four pages each, except Nos. 1217-1226, 1236-1238, 1241, and 1246-1251, which contain six pages. No. 1218 is misnumbered 1291.
Hildeburn 1272.
- 1753—No. 1254 (Jan. 2, 1753) to No. 1305 (Dec. 25, 1753).
Four pages each, except Nos. 1268, 1269, 1272, 1274, 1275, 1285, 1287 and 1291-1303, which contain six pages.
Hildeburn 1318.
- 1754—No. 1306 (Jan. 1, 1754) to No. 1358 (Dec. 31, 1754).
Six pages each, except Nos. 1306, 1317 and 1319, which contain four pages. The cut of the snake divided in eight pieces with the motto "Join or Die," appeared on May 9.
Hildeburn 1378.
- 1755—No. 1359 (Jan. 7, 1755) to No. 1409 (Dec. 25, 1755).
Six pages each, with a "Supplement" of two pages to No. 1384.
Hildeburn 1428.
- 1756—No. 1410 (Jan. 1, 1756) to No. 1462 (Dec. 30, 1756).
Six pages each, except Nos. 1428, 1451, 1459 and 1460, which contain four pages.
Hildeburn 1493.

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1757—No. 1462 (Jan. 6, 1757) to No. 1514 (Dec. 29, 1757).

Six pages each, except 1476, and from 1496 to 1514, four pages each.

From 1496 to 1514 each number has a half sheet (two pages) of which the first two have the regular imprint.

Hildeburn 1549.

1758—No. 1515 (Jan. 5, 1758) to No. 1566 (Dec. 28, 1758).

Four pages each, with an extra half sheet (two pages) to each number.

Hildeburn 1600.

1759—No. 1567 (Jan. 4, 1759) to No. 1618 (Dec. 27, 1759).

Four pages each, with an extra half sheet (two pages) to each.

Hildeburn 1638.

1760—No. 1619 (Jan. 3, 1760) to No. 1670 (Dec. 25, 1760).

Four pages each.

Hildeburn 1692.

1761—No. 1671 (Jan. 1, 1761) to No. 1723 (Dec. 31, 1761).

Four pages each, with extras of two pages each to Nos. 1671-74, 1676-81, 1684, 1686-90, 1692-95, and 1697-1723; "Supplements" of 4 pages to Nos. 1682, 1691, and 1696, and one of two pages to No. 1685. No. 1687 is misnumbered 1689.

Hildeburn 1757.

1762—No. 1724 (Jan. 7, 1762) to No. 1775 (Dec. 30, 1762).

Four pages each, with "Supplements" of two pages each to Nos. 1724, 1731, 1738, 1739, 1751, 1762, and 1770.

Hildeburn 1842.

1763—No. 1776 (Jan. 6, 1763) to No. 1827 (Dec. 29, 1763).

Four pages each, with "Supplements" of two pages to Nos. 1800 and 1819.

Hildeburn 1914.

1764—No. 1828 (Jan. 5, 1764) to No. 1879 (Dec. 27, 1764).

Four pages each, with extra sheets of four pages to Nos. 1842 and 1843.

Hildeburn 2035.

1765—No. 1880 (Jan. 3, 1765) to No. 1931 (Dec. 26, 1765).

Four pages each, with an extra sheet of four pages to Nos. 1911 and 1923. The latter appeared in mourning, and in place of 1924, a half

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sheet (1 leaf) headed "No Stamped Paper to be had," was issued. The next issue (No. 1925) is called "Remarkable Occurances" and contains four pages. With No. 1926 the regular heading was resumed. The substitutes for 1924 and for 1925, and the remaining numbers printed during the year were issued without an imprint. This was done to avoid responsibility for violating the Stamp Act.

Hildeburn 2156.

1766—No. 1932 (Jan. 2, 1766) to No. 1983 (Dec. 25, 1766).

Four pages each, with an extra half sheet of two pages to No. 1948, and "Supplements," of 1 leaf to No. 1951, of two pages to Nos. 1954 and 1975, and of four pages to 1968 and 1977. No imprint on Nos. 1932 to 1936. The imprint of No. 1937 is: Philadelphia: Printed by David Hall, at the New Printing Office, near the Market.

Hildeburn 2243.

Issues of the Passy Press

760

DIALOGUE entre la Goutte et M. F. à Minuit le 22 Octobre 1780. 12mo; half title, "Bagatelles", 1 leaf; pp (3)-16. No title page. Half title at top of p (3).

Nos. 759 to 772 were intended to be bound together and the half title, "Bagatelles", was intended to serve as a title to the volume thus formed.

Livingston 1.

761

LE SAGE et la Goutte.

12mo; pp (2), without title page.

Livingston 2.

762

[THE STORY OF THE WHISTLE]. Printed in French and English, on opposite pages, beginning at the top of p 2, "A Passy, le 10 November, 1779."

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12mo; pp 8. p (1) blank; pp (2)-8.
Livingston 3.

763

[THE STORY OF THE EPHEMERA]. In French. Page 1 begins "Avertissement du Traducteur".

12mo; pp 4, without title page.
Livingston 4.

764

M. F -- N A MADAME H -- S. [Franklin to Madame Helvetius] In French.
12mo, pp (2) without title page.
First edition beginning "Chagrin", and with 34 lines of text on p (2).
Livingston 5.

765

M. F -- N A MADAME H -- S. [In French]
12mo; pp (2), without title page.
Second edition, corrected, beginning "Chagriné", and with 30 lines of text on p (2).
Livingston 6.

766

LES MOUCHES A MADAME HE -- S.
12mo; pp (2), without title page.
Livingston 7.

767

M. F. A MADAME LA FR—É. [Franklin to Madame La Freté]
12mo; pp (2), without title page.
Livingston 8.

768

PARABOLE Contre la Persecution, a l' Imitation du Langage de l' Ecriture.
12mo; pp (2), without title page.
Livingston 9.

769

TO THE ROYAL ACADEMY of * * * * * [Brussels].
12mo; pp (1)-5; "Conte" [in French] on p (6). No title page.
Livingston 10.

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770

INFORMATION to those who would remove to America.
12mo; pp 12, with half title at top of page (1).
Livingston 11.

771

AVIS A CEUX qui Voudraient s'en Aller en Amerique. M, DCC, LXXXIV.
12mo; title, 1 leaf; pp (3)-15; pp 16 blank.
Livingston 12.

772

REMARKS Concerning the Savages of North-America.
12mo; pp 8, with half title at top of page (1).
Livingston 13.

773

REMARQUES sur la Politesse des Sauvages de l'Amérique Septentrionale.
12mo; half title, 1 leaf; pp 3-16.
Livingston 14.

774

LA BELLE et la Mauvaise Jambe.
Broadside, double column; 1 page.
Livingston 15.

775

[THE MORALS OF CHESS]. In French.
Broadside (?).
Livingston 16.

776

NUMB. 705.. Supplement to the Boston Independent Chronicle.
Folio; broadside; printed on one side only.
Livingston 17.

777

[IBID]. Second edition.
Folio; broadside; printed on both sides.
Livingston 18.
This was reprinted in Duane's edition of Franklin's Works (Philadelphia, 1809) with the heading "Volume VII. Number 1,095, Supplement to the Boston Chronicle. Monday, March 13, 1782," and with slight

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changes in the text. It was this reprint that was seen and described by Ford, and Livingston thinks that no original for it ever existed, but it would not surprise me if one would yet come to light.

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PETIT CODE de la Raison Humaine. Par M. B. D. [Barbeu Dubourg.] 1782.

24mo; 1 leaf blank; half title, 1 leaf; title, 1 leaf; pp. vii-24; 1-118. Livingston 19.

779

AN ODE in Imitation of Alcæus. Passy 1783. Printed by B. F. Bache. Folio; broadside. Livingston 20.

780

[AN UNIDENTIFIED BOOK or Pamphlet, translated by Mrs. Mary Hewson]. Passy 1782. Livingston 21.

781

[PLANS FOR A DURABLE PEACE]. Passy 1782. Livingston 22.

782

[INVITATION TO DINE with Franklin on July 5, 1779]. Beginning "Dr. Franklin, presents his Compliments". Small slip, printed on one side. Livingston 23.

783

[RECEIPT FOR PAPERS relating to Prize Ships]. In French. Single sheet, printed on one side, 24 lines beginning "Passy, ce [space] 17 [space]. Messieurs, J'ai reçu les Procès verbaux". Livingston 24.

784

[BLANK ORDERS on Mr. Grand, Banker]. Single sheet, printed on one side, two orders on one sheet, beginning "£s. Pub. Acc." and identical in wording, but differing slightly in arrangement, the word "vis-a-vis" being printed on one line in the second, and overrun to the next line in the first. Livingston 25.

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785

[BLANK PROMISSORY NOTES, addressed to Superintendent of Finances].
Single sheet. With three notes, identical except for numbering "First",
"Second", "Third", and beginning "Passy", [space] 178 [space]
I promise to pay to the Honourable the Superintendent of Fi-
nances".
Livingston 26.

786

[BLANK PROMISSORY NOTES, addressed to the President of Congress].
Single sheet, printed on one side, three notes on the same sheet, iden-
tical except for words "First", "Second", "Third", and beginning
"Passy [space] 178 [space] I promise to pay to the Honourable
President for the time being, of the Congress of the United States."
Livingston 27.

787

AN ORDINANCE, Relative to the Capture and Condemnation of Prizes.
Folio; broadside.
Signed by Samuel Huntington, President, and attested by Charles
Thomson, Secretary.
Differs slightly in typography from the edition printed by David Clay-
pool in Philadelphia.
Livingston 28.

788

IN CONGRESS, May 2, 1780. Instructions to the Captains and Com-
manders of Private Armed Vessels which shall have Commissions or
Letters of Marque and Reprisal.
Folio, pp (2).
Signed by Charles Thomson.
Livingston 29.

789

[BLANK BOND for Twenty Thousand Dollars to be Executed by Com-
manders of Privateers].
Single sheet, printed on one side only, beginning "Know all men by
these presents".
Livingston 30.

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[BLANK PASSPORT].

Single sheet, printed on one side only, in script, beginning "Nous Benjamin Franklin, Ecuyer, Ministre Plénipotentiaire des Etats Unis, etc."
Livingston 31.

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[BLANK PASSPORT FOR SHIPS].

Single sheet, printed on one side, beginning "To all Captains and Commanders of Vessels of war, etc."
Livingston 32.

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Errata

PAGE 38, LINE 8.

“Not in Evans” should be— Evans 2402, with incorrect collation.

PAGE 74, LINE 28.

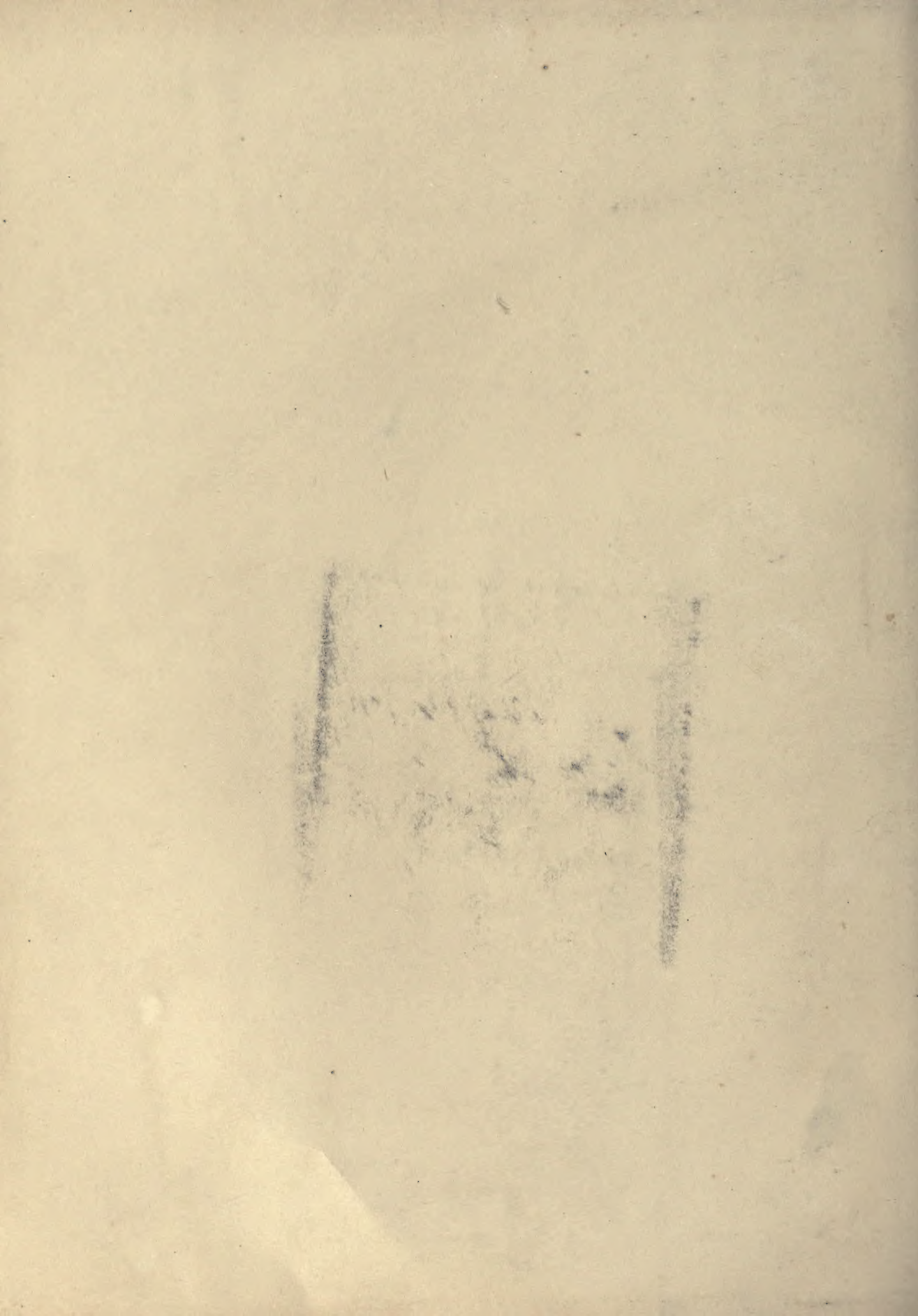
“Bechteln” should be— Bechtel.

PAGE 84, A POCKET ALMANACK.

“Hildeburn 897” should be— Not in Hildeburn. The title page of Hildeburn 897 is printed in black only, and the imprint differs slightly.

PAGE 159, BEYLAGE.

“Beylage” was printed by Christopher Saur, not by Franklin, and should not have been included in the Catalogue.



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